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# Wisconsin Farm Crop Report

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OFFICE OF WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE,  
Madison, May 15, 1914.

The condition of Winter Wheat May 1st in the State was 92.2 percent as compared with 90 at the same period in 1913: The condition in the Northern Division was 91.3, the Central Division 90.2, and the Southern Division 93.2. The condition of Winter Rye in the State was 93.6 percent as compared with 93 in 1913. Alfalfa conditions on May 1st in the State were 89. The condition one year ago of Alfalfa was 87. Clover Meadows show a percentage of 92.1 as compared with 88 per cent in 1913; Timothy Meadows 93.1 percent as against 91 in 1913; Pastures 93.4 as against 88.

The comparative acreage of Winter Wheat May 1st, 1914, is 93.4 percent as against 95 in 1913; percent of acreage abandoned is 4.6 percent. Comparative acreage of Winter Rye for the State is 95.3 as against 95 percent in 1913, and the percent of acreage abandoned is 5.2. Spring Wheat acreage is 94.1 percent as against 91 in 1913; Spring Rye 94.6 as against 89 percent in 1913; Oats 105.5 percent against 101 percent in 1913; Barley 95.6 against 95 percent in 1913; Alfalfa 116.3 percent as compared with 107 percent in 1913; Clover Meadows 105.8 percent as compared with 101 percent in 1913; Timothy Meadows 99 percent as against 98 one year ago.

75 percent of the plowing was done in the State May 1st. 14.2 percent of the 1913 Hay crop remained in the hands of the farmer as against 14 percent on the same date in 1913; 85.7 percent of the entire crop will be consumed on the farms producing it. 14.5 percent of the 1913 Corn crop still remains in the hands of the farmer, and 93.7 percent of the entire corn crop will be consumed on the farms. Silage loss for the State is 3.7 percent as against 5 percent one year ago. This loss was caused

principally by the corn being too dry at time of filling silos, and from improper packing.

Correspondents' reports on condition of live stock show the following percentages: Horses 95.9; Cattle 94.5; Sheep 95; Swine 93.7. The percentage of Spring Pigs saved was 94.6 as compared with 96 percent one year ago. The percentage of Spring Lambs saved was 97.1 percent as against 97 percent the same period in 1913.

Wages paid for farm labor vary from \$25.00 to \$38.00 per month; the general average for the State is \$31.39 as compared with \$31.00 in 1913.

Too great an amount of moisture and cold weather has retarded spring work. However, soil conditions are very favorable.

J. C. MacKENZIE,  
Secretary.

A complete detailed report of conditions, etc., is shown by the following tables:



NORTHERN DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.						COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.			
	Winter wheat.	Winter rye.	Alfalfa.	Clover meadows.	Timothy meadows.	Pastures.	Winter wheat	Acraege abandoned.	Winter rye.	Acraege abandoned.
Ashland	103	97	100	97	94	95	110		100	
Barron	100	100	88	93	90	88	100		100	5
Bayfield	80	75	70	75	60	75	40		30	
Burnett		88	90	93	90	100			75	3
Chippewa	80	88	70	85	95	93	98		97	
Door		92	90	89	95	87			100	
Douglas	88	100	85	92	93	90	100		100	
Dunn	95	96	90	91	97	92	90	3	102	2
Florence		90		75	100	96			90	10
Forest	90			85	95	93	125			
Iron	85	95		95	100		95		100	
Langlade	90	90	70	93	90	83	80		105	
Lincoln		110		112	100	100			100	
Marathon	91	92	93	90	94	93	97	3	96	3
Marinette	85	96	84	93	95	93	103		104	
Oconto	80	70	97	92	88	90	83		105	
Oneida		100	90	93	93	88			90	
Polk		75	97	89	88	82			100	
Price		80		90	75	90	100		125	
Rusk	95	100	100	93	100	100	100		110	
Sawyer	90	94	87	90	93	97	105	5	95	3
Shawano	90	92	92	90	95	90	91	3	100	2
St. Croix	95	98	90	97	98	94			96	10
Taylor		100		100	97	90			100	
Vilas	100	100	100	95	100	88	105		100	
Washburn	96	90	92	97	96	95	103		102	

NORTHERN DIVISION.	COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.							Plowing done May 1st.	1913 Hay crop on farms May 1st.	1913 Hay crop consumed on farms.
	Spring wheat.	Spring Rye.	Oats.	Barley.	Alfalfa.	Clover meadows.	Timothy meadows.			
Ashland	105	100	112	107	115	112	98	60	22	80
Barron	100	100	105	95	130	110	78	90	8	73
Bayfield	30		90	40	100	60	40	80		90
Burnett	83		120	110	122	100	112	65	13	98
Chippewa						110	90	55	20	47
Door	108	100	108	98	115	96	93	85	23	65
Douglas	103		100	125	105	117	105	90	12	87
Dunn	85	88	110	102	107	107	98	76	12	81
Florence								80	8	90
Forest	150		130	100		110	125	65	15	95
Iron			100	85		100	100	75	10	75
Langlade					150	125	125	50	10	80
Lincoln			110			103	100	75	8	88
Marathon	100	100	98	99	109	102	96	80	11	83
Marinette	90		107	98	120	108	98	85	14	80
Oconto	95	94	92	100	110	110	95	72	12	90
Oneida			112		160	125	90	65	15	94
Polk	95		115	105	140	115	110	70	9	94
Price			150	110	102	140	100	55	15	90
Rusk	125	125	108	113	200	133	128	60	8	83
Sawyer	100	108	117	93	128	122	110	63	14	93
Shawano	85	85	98	95	89	104	95	88	15	86
St. Croix	96	100	95	97	145	104	99	90	7	92
Taylor			100	100		98	95	85	12	93
Vilas	105	105	110	110	120	107	110	75	5	90
Washburn	90	100	108	100	125	120	94	60	9	80

NORTHERN DIVISION.	1913 corn crop on farms May 1st.	1913 corn crop consumed on farms.	Silage lost.	CONDITION OF LIVE STOCK.						Farm labor. Wages per month including board.
				Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Spring pigs saved, compared with 1913.	Spring lambs saved, compared with 1913.	
Ashland.....	2	100	.....	97	100	100	93	98	100	31.50
Barron.....	6	95	.....	98	95	95	88	73	98	29.00
Bayfield.....	.....	100	.....	95	100	.....	90	.....	.....	30.00
Burnett.....	22	97	5	88	92	93	88	100	85	30.00
Chippewa.....	18	88	5	97	100	98	97	120	100	31.50
Door.....	8	92	3	97	92	95	94	90	100	27.50
Douglas.....	.....	100	.....	90	93	100	93	85	.....	29.00
Dunn.....	29	86	3	94	96	98	94	96	93	34.50
Florence.....	.....	100	.....	100	100	95	75	75	.....	30.00
Forest.....	.....	90	3	85	93	83	83	100	100	25.00
Iron.....	.....	100	.....	95	95	.....	90	90	.....	30.00
Langlade.....	20	100	.....	100	90	100	100	100	105	28.00
Lincoln.....	6	100	.....	100	100	100	83	75	100	28.00
Marathon.....	6	100	5	95	84	89	85	107	101	32.00
Marinette.....	13	88	6	95	83	97	94	92	95	27.50
Oconto.....	22	95	10	84	89	82	78	95	100	25.50
Oneida.....	.....	100	.....	93	95	.....	90	90	.....	32.50
Polk.....	8	97	5	98	93	99	98	90	98	30.50
Price.....	2	95	1	80	75	85	85	.....	.....	28.00
Rusk.....	.....	100	.....	98	100	100	95	113	118	28.00
Sawyer.....	14	98	5	100	98	96	92	95	100	33.50
Shawano.....	14	96	4	92	90	95	91	94	92	29.50
St. Croix.....	5	98	7	99	98	98	95	106	100	32.00
Taylor.....	.....	.....	7	97	98	100	100	100	100	30.50
Vilas.....	10	100	5	100	100	100	100	100	100	30.00
Washburn.....	8	88	4	92	90	100	93	100	100	30.50

CENTRAL DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.						COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.			
	Winter wheat.	Winter P.C.	Alfalfa.	Clover meadows.	Timothy meadows.	Pastures.	Winter wheat.	Average abandoned.	Winter P.C.	Average abandoned.
Adams.....	95	90	.....	90	90	100	100	.....	100	.....
Brown.....	90	95	90	100	98	.....	90	.....	100	.....
Buffalo.....	90	95	95	85	95	100	80	.....	95	.....
Calumet.....	97	98	83	90	93	90	83	5	85	3
Clark.....	97	93	82	96	95	92	80	4	90	4
Eau Claire.....	95	92	88	88	97	90	97	2	100	.....
Fond du Lac.....	95	93	90	90	92	95	98	3	96	5
Green Lake.....	90	95	80	95	90	95	80	.....	75	.....
Jackson.....	92	93	80	98	97	95	95	5	90	8
Juneau.....	.....	85	90	85	84	80	.....	.....	93	.....
Kewaunee.....	81	90	.....	82	91	88	88	.....	94	.....
La Crosse.....	99	98	94	95	99	97	84	8	95	3
Manitowoc.....	75	98	75	100	90	80	50	10	100	.....
Marquette.....	81	86	75	90	89	88	90	2	110	5
Monroe.....	100	88	92	103	98	103	80	7	80	14
Outagamie.....	88	90	75	91	88	85	88	5	92	3
Peplin.....	.....	100	.....	100	100	100	.....	.....	100	.....
Pierce.....	100	95	88	93	95	88	100	.....	88	.....
Portage.....	95	97	85	80	90	88	110	.....	98	.....
Sheboygan.....	90	94	75	95	85	85	95	.....	98	5
Trempealeau.....	95	98	93	88	93	95	95	6	97	2
Waupaca.....	90	100	80	90	100	90	90	10	100	.....
Waushara.....	.....	70	75	75	80	75	.....	.....	.....	.....
Winnebago.....	95	95	94	80	89	85	100	.....	87	.....
Wood.....	95	97	90	95	92	95	105	.....	97	3

CENTRAL DIVISION.	COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.						Plowing done May 1st.	1913 hay crop on farms May 1st.	1913 hay crop consumed on farms.
	Spring wheat.	Spring rye.	Oats.	Barley.	Alfalfa.	Clover meadows.			
Adams.....		90	100			100	100	25	90
Brown.....	85		100	75	100	105	100	50	80
Buffalo.....	109	100	90	80	100	100	90	70	80
Calumet.....	90		100	83	75	95	90	90	78
Clark.....	50	75	100	100	105	108	97	88	80
Eau Claire.....	88	93	100	90	150	110	100	85	78
Fond du Lac.....	95		110	80	115	118	98	88	93
Green Lake.....			110	80	120	125	120	90	95
Jackson.....	95	90	97	92	120	110	93	88	88
Jureau.....			94			97	98	60	90
Kewaunee.....	100		108	109	88	97	98	98	75
La Crosse.....			98	103	107	110	94	73	90
Manitowoc.....	90		175	130	100	120	130	90	75
Marquette.....	90	90	120	90	130	120	120	80	95
Monroe.....	95		100	90	102	102	97	95	12
Outagamie.....	80	70	108	100	100	95	90	75	83
Pepin.....	100	95	100	90	110	100	97	90	90
Pierce.....	88		110	87	110	110	103	90	97
Portage.....	95	93	103	100	114	100	100	75	88
Sheboygan.....	95	100	108	93	105	103	95	85	90
Trempealeau.....	94	92	94	85	130	91	92	80	75
Waupaca.....	80	85	100	100	90	100	100	95	80
Waushara.....			90	85	110	100	100	50	85
Winnebago.....	102		100	90	103	88	85	75	80
Wood.....	75		110	115	200	125	100	80	78

CENTRAL DIVISION.	1913 corn crop on farms May 1st.	1913 corn crop consumed on farms.	Silage lost.	CONDITION OF LIVE STOCK.						FARM LABOR
				Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Spring pigs saved compared with 1913.	Spring lambs saved compared with 1913.	
Adams.....	25	85		100	100	100	100	100	100	\$25.00
Brown.....	10	100	5	100	100	100	100	98	95	30.00
Buffalo.....	25	90		90	95	85	95	90	100	32.50
Calumet.....	23	83	15	95	93	98	88	85	85	34.00
Clark.....	8	98	5	95	94	92	95	90	97	30.50
Eau Claire.....	14	87	4	97	96	96	100	100	95	29.50
Fond du Lac.....	20	98	3	98	98	92	93	88	97	33.00
Green Lake.....	25	95	10	95	90	90	95	80	75	33.00
Jackson.....	15	85	3	98	98	100	96	100	95	32.50
Jureau.....	25	98	2	93	90	95	95	97	100	30.50
Kewaunee.....	8	100	2	98	94	88	95	100	100	28.00
La Crosse.....	25	93	3	101	95		97	100		33.50
Manitowoc.....		100	5	95	85		80	90	85	30.00
Marquette.....	23	95	6	96	89	95	96	110	120	32.00
Monroe.....	25	90	9	94	95	92	96	90	90	32.00
Outagamie.....	28	88	5	95	90	90	95	105	100	31.00
Pepin.....	10	80	1	100	90		95	95	95	32.50
Pierce.....	18	90	4	97	96	95	95	108	105	33.00
Portage.....	15	95	5	98	85	90	100	94	100	31.50
Sheboygan.....	10	95	5	95	90	94	93	98	105	32.00
Trempealeau.....	25	87	4	98	90	92	90	85	100	32.50
Waupaca.....	25	80		100	100			90	100	25.00
Waushara.....	12	90	2	80	85	85	90	75	65	32.00
Winnebago.....	15	98		96	90	92	90	90	88	30.00
Wood.....	13	92	9	90	94	90	97	93	98	30.00

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.						COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.			
	Winter wheat.	Winter rye.	Alfalfa.	Clover meadows.	Timothy meadows.	Pastures.	Winter wheat.	Acres abandoned.	Winter rye.	Acres abandoned.
Columbia.....	85	82	70	84	85	85	90	3	95	.....
Crawford.....	90	93	95	85	85	85	100	.....	85	.....
Dane.....	90	93	95	100	98	100	100	.....	98	.....
Dodge.....	93	98	95	100	97	92	90	9	96	4
Grant.....	90	95	93	94	98	90	110	.....	80	.....
Green.....	100	100	95	95	98	100	95	1	97	3
Iowa.....	95	95	98	95	94	92	90	.....	103	.....
Jefferson.....	100	100	105	105	100	100	94	.....	100	.....
Kenosha.....	.....	90	95	82	90	100	.....	.....	78	6
Lafayette.....	90	98	80	80	95	90	100	.....	100	.....
Milwaukee.....	90	98	95	100	80	.....	80	.....	90	.....
Ozaukee.....	100	98	94	102	100	100	98	5	95	10
Racine.....	90	90	85	88	98	90	100	.....	90	.....
Richland.....	90	98	93	94	93	93	100	2	102	.....
Rock.....	95	97	98	93	93	95	100	2	100	2
Sauk.....	95	95	90	85	98	98	.....	.....	100	.....
Vernon.....	98	100	95	94	98	90	95	.....	.....	.....
Walworth.....	100	100	100	95	93	93	100	.....	100	.....
Washington.....	90	98	100	95	100	165	75	.....	100	.....
Waukesha.....	90	94	90	95	92	90	80	5	94	2

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.									
	Spring wheat.	Spring rye.	Oats.	Barley.	Alfalfa.	Clover Meadows.	Timothy meadows.	Plowing done May 1st.	1913 hay crop on farms May 1st.	1913 hay crop consumed on farms.
Columbia.....	80	65	100	100	115	97	95	40	15	85
Crawford.....	100	90	100	97	125	114	120	78	18	89
Dane.....	100	.....	100	57	125	100	95	73	15	95
Dodge.....	100	.....	108	90	108	103	95	85	10	85
Grant.....	97	90	100	90	100	90	100	69	10	90
Green.....	100	95	102	95	110	100	95	60	11	90
Iowa.....	90	.....	98	100	120	100	97	65	18	90
Jefferson.....	98	100	108	96	112	98	93	60	15	91
Kenosha.....	100	.....	100	100	100	107	102	99	16	90
Lafayette.....	100	.....	95	95	103	84	100	65	15	95
Milwaukee.....	95	95	100	90	105	110	100	70	10	65
Ozaukee.....	97	100	120	85	90	115	105	70	20	82
Racine.....	90	100	100	98	105	100	100	78	20	80
Richland.....	105	.....	97	90	120	104	90	50	8	92
Rock.....	93	100	125	85	120	125	85	65	13	88
Sauk.....	100	100	102	97	108	105	99	80	15	92
Vernon.....	97	98	105	103	112	103	98	84	15	95
Walworth.....	100	.....	102	93	118	97	95	65	12	85
Washington.....	89	.....	107	94	138	100	100	90	20	97
Waukesha.....	95	.....	103	100	102	105	100	75	20	85

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	1913 corn crop on farms		Silage lost.	CONDITION OF LIVE STOCK.						FARM LABOR
	May 1st.	consumed on farms.		Horses.	Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.	Spring pigs saved	Spring lambs saved	
								compared with 1913.	compared with 1913.	
								Wages per month including board.		
Columbia.....	15	85	3	90	85	80	88	75	83	34.00
Crawford.....	20	94	7	90	100	85	90	80	98	35.00
Dane.....	10	95	3	95	100	95	97	100	95	36.00
Dodge.....	20	93	5	96	98	97	97	95	95	33.00
Grant.....	12	97	2	98	95	97	98	110	103	35.00
Green.....	20	94	4	97	95	98	90	95	93	37.00
Iowa.....	17	97	3	98	98	95	100	95	95	35.00
Jefferson.....	22	97	4	99	99	100	98	95	100	32.00
Kenosha.....	10	93	7	105	100	98	100	98	100	29.00
Lafayette.....	12	99	3	98	98	97	98	105	100	38.00
Milwaukee.....	20	95	3	100	100	100	100	100	100	32.50
Ozaukee.....	22	93	8	94	95	95	93	99	96	31.00
Racine.....	25	88	3	100	98	100	97	95	100	32.00
Richland.....	15	94	3	100	98	97	90	94	100	31.00
Rock.....	15	85	6	97	95	100	95	90	92	31.50
Sauk.....	22	94	3	99	96	99	99	97	102	35.00
Vernon.....	22	100	3	95	93	98	98	85	100	36.50
Walworth.....	15	92	7	96	98	100	95	90	105	31.50
Washington.....	17	94	1	100	100	100	98	100	100	30.00
Waukesha.....	25	85	4	98	99	98	95	94	95	32.50



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Present prospects indicate that Wisconsin will again lead in the yield per acre of all grains and grasses. The average condition of Winter Wheat in the Northern Division of the State is 96.1 per cent; the Central Division 95.1; the Southern Division 95.1, the general average condition for the entire State being 95.4; this average is 2 per cent better than for the year 1913. The average condition of Spring Wheat in the Northern Division is 97.9; the Central Division 94.1; the Southern Division 97.7, the general average for the State being 96.6, or 1.5 percent above the year 1913. The average condition of Winter Rye in the Northern Division is 96.4; the Central Division 95.2; the Southern Division 98.9, the general average of the State being 96.8, or 1.4 percent improvement over 1913. The average condition of Spring Rye in the Northern Division is 96.6; the Central Division 91.6; the Southern Division 97.7, the general average for the entire State being 95.3, or 2.3 percent improvement over 1913. The condition of Barley in the Northern Division is 97.6; the Central Division 94; the Southern Division 98.4, the general average for the State 96.7, being 1.6 percent gain over 1913. The average condition of Oats in the Northern Division is 99; the Central Division 96.7; the Southern Division 99.3, the average for the State being 98.3, or 1 percent improvement over 1913. Clover Meadows show an average condition in the Northern Division of 99.5; Central Division 97.3; Southern Division 100.9, the average for the entire State being 99.2; this shows an improvement of 5.4 percent over the year 1913. The condition of Timothy Meadows in the Northern Division is 96.8; the Central Division 95.4; the Southern Di-

vision 99.9, the average condition of the State being 97.4, or a gain of 1.1 percent over the previous year. The average condition of Alfalfa in the Northern Division is 94.1; the Central Division 92; the Southern Division 97.1, the general average for the State being 94.4, or 2 percent improvement over 1913. The general average for Pastures in the State is 101.7 or .7 improvement over 1913.

The increase in acreage of Corn over the year 1913 is 7.4 and the percent planted June 1st was 83.2. Potato acreage shows a gain of 1.3 percent over the previous year, and on the date of this report 63 percent of the total acreage had been planted. The increase in acreage of Tobacco is 12.1 percent; this percentage is based on the acreage planted for a period of years and is not to be compared with the acreage planted in the year 1913. The percentage of acreage of Field Peas is 96.7; Beans 96.9; Cabbage 98.3; Corn for Canning 101.5; Peas for Canning 103.9. Sugar Beets show a falling off, the percentage of acreage for the entire State being 67.9. Flax likewise shows a loss of 5 percent in the total acreage planted.

Hemp has been grown successfully in Dodge and Fond du Lac Counties, but the producer is handicapped by not having improved machinery to handle this product.

Counties in the Northern Division of the State show an increase of 10 percent in acreage of cleared land since January 1st, 1913.

A few localities have reported slight damage from hailstorms, and many of our reporters complain of an unusual number of insects that have damaged fruit trees to a considerable extent.

The condition of the Apple crop in the Northern Division is 77.8; Central Division 67.2; Southern Division 54.1. The condition of Small Fruits in the Northern Division is 91.4; Central Division 88; Southern Division 88.9. Damage to fruit trees by insects is placed at 6 percent for the entire State, and fruit trees and small fruits suffered damage from frost to the extent of 5.1 percent. Just prior to going to press with this report, we have received information that grass-hoppers were appearing in large numbers in a few sections of the State.

J. C. MACKENZIE,

*Secretary.*

CONDITION OF CROPS.														
NORTHERN DIVISION.	Winter wheat.	Spring wheat.	Winter rye.	Spring rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Clover meadows.	Timothy meadows	Alfalfa.	Pastures.	Apple crop predicted.	Small fruit crop predicted.	Damage to fruit tree by insects.	Damage by frost to fruit trees and small fruits.
	Ashland	103	90	100	96	100	100	105	98	90	105	100	100	
Barron	90	100	120		110	110	105	95	100	110	100	125		
Bayfield	89	92			98	94	96	95	89	100	94	95	3	
Burnett		115	105			100	103	100	105	95		100		
Chippewa	87	98	93	98	91	97	98	96	88	103	88	93		2
Door		132	98		103	98	93	92	97	93	50	120		
Douglas	95	90	97		87	95	100	98	95	100	90	100		
Dunn	98	99	96	95	99	98	92	90	88	98	88	88	2	
Florence	100	98	90		100	102	90	100		105	100	100		
Forest	90	95	70	90	100	100	85	83		105	100	100	5	4
Iron	90	92	100	95	95	100	90	90		90	100	100	20	
Langlade	100	100	93		95	90	100	88	110	93	95	105		
Lincoln		100	100		100	103	115	115		115	50	100		
Marathon	95		94		95	97	102	100	94	101	88	95		
Marquette	97	95	98	93	98	98	100	100	98	105	90	97	5	5
Oconto	90	87	80		85	90	97	91	85	98	73	80	3	6
Oneida	85	100	92	95	100	103	102	92	90	93	65	95	5	
Polk	100	98	99	100	96	98	102	100	97	98	80	84	3	
Price	95	97	94	95	100	100	100	98		100		100		
Rusk	100	100	103	100	94	95	108	104	95	120	97	95		
St. Croix	110	98	100		95	102	100	97	93	95	95	97	3	
Sawyer	102	100	102	98	98	100	105	98	90	107	90	95		
Shawano	98	95	93	93	97	95	100	98	90	100	85	90		
Taylor			97		98	98	95	95	93	98		90		
Vilas	100	110	100	110	108	105	96	98	97	108	100	120		
Washburn	100	98	96	100	100	107	105	98	92	102	80	97	2	

**COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.**

NORTHERN DIVISION.	CORN.		POTA- TOES.		Sugar beets.	Tobacco.	Flax.	Field peas.	Beans.	Cabbage.	Corn for canning.	Peas for canning.	Increased acreage of cleared land since Jan. 1, 1913.	Damage to crops from hail- storms.
	Acreage.	Per cent planted.	Acreage.	Per cent planted.										
Ashland.....	123	60	115	63				100	100	110			15	
Barron.....	120	65	90	50	50	90		75	100	100	125	125	4	
Bayfield.....	90	67	107	68				79					26	
Burnett.....	140	75	135	45									10	
Chippewa.....	107	90	105	74	40	97	100	95	95	103	100	97	8	
Door.....	120	65	120	18	10			60	115		100	95	2	
Douglas.....	120	75					100	200					15	
Dunn.....	105	94	96	70	80	93	100	100	99	100	100	100	1	3
Florence.....	110	65	113	40				100		100			15	
Forest.....	135	50	55	40				90	70	100		50	10	
Iron.....	100	60	100	64									10	
Langlade.....	110	40	135	30				70				100	8	
Lincoln.....	125	60	108	75				93	100	100			3	
Marathon.....	112	90	98	92				93	100	100		93	5	
Marinette.....	108	90	114	40	95	97	90	100	104	100	100	100	6	
Oconto.....	107	83	100	70	45			93	83		100	95	7	5
Oneida.....	112	75	110	65				98	90	110			33	3
Polk.....	108	95	98	78	70		100	100	98	100	100	100	5	
Price.....	110	78	100	80			100	95						
Rusk.....	115	91	117	48	100	100	100	125	100	100		106	5	
St. Croix.....	118	95	110	85	50		75	105	100	108			8	1
Sawyer.....	118	94	117	67	90	90		100	110	115			12	
Shawano.....	104	75	98	68	50			75	77	80		90	7	
Taylor.....	100	87	104	50				90	80	95			5	
Vilas.....	130	75	130	90					110	110			10	
Washburn.....	107	85	105	78			100	100	95	100		80	20	



CENTRAL DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.										Apple crop predicted.	Small fruit crop predicted.	Damage to fruit trees by insects.	Damage by frost to fruit trees and small fruits.
	Winter wheat.	Spring wheat.	Winter rye.	Spring rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Clover meadows.	Timothy meadows.	Alfalfa.	Pastures.				
Adams.....	85	85	83	78	90	89	94	93	85	99	75	85	.....	.....
Brown.....	95	95	100	.....	80	90	105	100	100	100	75	80	.....	.....
Buffalo.....	100	95	100	100	90	93	98	97	93	100	.....	93	15	.....
Calumet.....	95	95	100	.....	90	100	100	95	95	100	85	90	.....	.....
Clark.....	95	93	95	90	89	90	100	98	94	100	85	93	5	.....
Eau Claire.....	95	96	95	95	92	95	98	94	91	95	87	95	3	2
Fond du Lac.....	105	102	108	100	100	110	115	108	105	110	85	90	3	4
Green Lake.....	98	93	102	90	100	103	101	96	90	99	50	85	10	.....
Jackson.....	98	90	95	.....	95	98	95	100	93	100	50	80	.....	20
Juneau.....	100	100	95	100	98	93	97	95	95	105	55	90	10	.....
Kewaunee.....	90	88	98	.....	92	100	75	80	.....	94	70	70	1	.....
La Crosse.....	95	.....	100	90	96	99	98	90	82	102	85	100	8	10
Manitowoc.....	90	95	95	.....	96	98	100	95	82	90	77	85	5	12
Marquette.....	87	89	87	85	88	94	96	94	83	98	70	75	12	.....
Monroe.....	100	90	85	.....	100	104	102	100	98	100	80	90	.....	2
Outagamie.....	98	93	100	90	93	98	104	98	99	115	90	88	.....	.....
Pepin.....	95	90	96	.....	89	93	96	93	97	98	50	83	5	.....
Pierce.....	100	97	98	.....	100	98	105	105	97	104	80	92	.....	2
Portage.....	97	99	95	94	100	98	90	94	90	99	90	98	6	.....
Sheboygan.....	100	99	100	95	97	100	102	100	98	103	70	80	4	.....
Trempealeau.....	97	95	95	90	87	95	92	90	88	98	70	85	7	.....
Waupaca.....	90	95	100	.....	100	100	90	100	70	100	95	100	.....	3
Waushara.....	90	92	65	80	50	90	80	85	95	95	90	95	.....	.....
Winnebago.....	95	95	98	.....	97	100	100	93	90	98	85	90	.....	.....
Wood.....	87	98	95	.....	100	90	100	98	100	103	70	88	.....	.....

**COMPARATIVE ACREAGE.**

CENTRAL DIVISION.	CORN.		POTATOES.		Sugar beets.	Tobacco.	Flax.	Field peas.	Beans.	Cabbage.	Corn for canning.	Peas for canning.	Damage to crops from hailstorms
	Acreage.	Percent planted.	Acreage.	Percent planted.									
Adams.....	100	94	110	33					140	100			
Brown.....	100	65	100	60	50		100	100	97	100	100	100	
Buffalo.....	115	98	100	84		100		100	100	110	115	118	
Calumet.....	100	95	90	85	95			100				100	
Clark.....	105	75	100	70			100	94	90			95	
Eau Claire.....	104	98	103	88	100	100	100	100	98	101	100	97	
Fond du Lac.....	105	75	100	50	90			118	100	103	100	120	
Green Lake.....	110	95	100	75	50			150	80			117	
Jackson.....	100	85	90	60		85	100		70	50			
Juneau.....	92	92	104	60					100				
Kewaunee.....	110	95	108	85				110				100	
La Crosse.....	112	99	105	77				98		110	120	150	
Manitowoc.....	115	70	100	75				95	100	100	95	105	
Marquette.....	100	95	105	50									2
Monroe.....	105	90	98	70	60	100		80		70			
Outagamie.....	97	65	90	50	80			75	100	95			3
Pepin.....	100	94	98	60	90			90					
Pierce.....	115	18	112	87			100		100	98			
Portage.....	112	97	100	35									
Sheboygan.....	105	90	102	92	85		87	92	98	90	75	105	
Trempealeau.....	108	95	100	40	95	95				50			
Waupaca.....	100	80	100	10	100					100			
Waushara.....	100	25	85	10									
Winnebago.....	100	84	100	92	75			100		97		100	
Wood.....	112	60	110	40	100	103	90	85	100	97			



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## WISCONSIN FARM CROP REPORT

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OFFICE OF WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE,  
Madison, July 15, 1914.

Estimates of crop conditions as of July 1st are as follows: Winter Wheat, Northern Division 95.7; Central Division, 94.6; Southern Division 97.4; the general average for the state being 95.9 as compared with 95.4, the general average condition reported June 1st. Slight changes are shown in the condition of Spring Wheat and Winter Rye. The condition of Spring Wheat in the Northern Division is 95.6, Central Division 94.3, Southern Division 96.1, the average for the whole state being 95.3 as compared with 96.6 on June 1st.

The condition of Winter Rye in the Northern Division is 96.9, Central Division 95.4, Southern Division 96.9, the general average for the state being 95.9 as compared with 96.8 on June 1st. The general average condition of Spring Rye in the Northern Division is 96.6, Central Division 92.3, Southern Division 97.1, the general average for the state being 95.3, or the same general condition as was shown in our report of June 1st.

The Barley condition shows a slight falling off in the Northern Division, and a slight gain in the Central and Southern Divisions, the general average for the state being 97.6 as compared with 96.7 on June 1st.

While reports show that Oats have suffered more or less damage from heavy winds, the general average condition in the state is better than reported June 1st. It is reported that rust is appearing in some localities. The average condition of Oats in the Northern Division is 97, Central Division 98.4, Southern Division 100.9, the general average for the state being 98.8.

The average condition of Corn in the Northern Division is 90.9, Central Division 95.3, Southern Division 97.5, the general average for the state being 94.6. Corn on the lowlands has been

affected considerably by reason of excessive rains and cold weather following planting.

The general average condition of Field Peas in the state is 93.8, and that of Peas for canning 94.9.

The average condition of Potatoes in the Northern Division of the state is 93, Central Division 96, Southern Division 95.8, the general average for the state being 94.6, or a gain of 3 per cent over the year 1913. It is gratifying to know that the chief potato centers of the state show an average condition of 100 per cent.

Tobacco conditions in the Northern Division are 93.6, Central Division 93.1, Southern Division 97.9, the general average for the state being 94.9. The chief Tobacco producing centers of the state, however, show much better than the general average; for example: Dane county shows a condition of 102, Rock county 107, Vernon county 97, Grant county 100, and Columbia county 98.

The general average condition of Sugar Beets is 94.3 as compared with 91.4 in 1913. The general average condition of Pastures in the Northern Division is 104.2, Central Division 99, Southern Division 103.3, the general average for the entire state being 102.2.

The general average condition of the Cabbage crop in the state is 93.1 as compared with 91.5 in 1913. The average condition of the Apple crop in the Northern Division is 72.4, Central Division 66.8, Southern Division 59.7, the general average for the entire state being 66.3 as compared with 88.6 in 1913. The general average condition of Small Fruits in the entire state is 87.7 as compared with 89.4 in 1913.

The condition of Alfalfa in the Northern Division is 96.3, Central Division 97.6, Southern Division 97.6, the general average condition for the state being 97.2 as compared with 92.9 in 1913. The average condition of Tame Hay in the Northern Division is 100, Central Division 100.5, Southern Division 102.4; the general average for the whole state is 101 as compared with 94.2 on the same date in 1913. The Hay crop that was harvested early was damaged to a considerable extent by excessive rains. The condition of old meadows is not up to the average, but the condition of Timothy and Clover new seedings was never better. The yield of Tame Hay in the Northern Division is 1.7 tons, Central Division 1.9 tons, Southern Division 2 tons, being an average of

1.9 tons for the whole state or .3 tons greater than the year 1913. The yield per acre of the first cutting of Alfalfa in the Northern Division is 1.6 tons, Central Division 1.8 tons, Southern Division 1.9 tons the general average for the state being 1.8 tons, a gain of .2 of a ton per acre over that of 1913.

The comparative acreage of Buckwheat in the Northern Division is 92.4, Central Division 96.3, Southern Division 95.3, the general average for the state being 94.7 as compared with 90.3 during the same period in 1913. The average acreage of Tobacco in the Northern Division is 95.6, Central Division 99.2, Southern Division 98.9, the average for the whole state being 97.9 as compared with 96.6 in 1913. The principal Tobacco producing counties, however, show the average acreage in Dane county to be 100, Rock county 106, Vernon county 105, Crawford county 100, and Columbia county 85, so that by properly weighing the Tobacco acreage of the state it will show a decided increase.

Very little damage is shown to crops in general by frost, and the total per cent of damage by cutworms for the entire state is 1.1 per cent. Barns, silos, tobacco sheds, and windmills were damaged in many sections of the state during the month of June from cyclones and tornadoes. Several localities also report heavy damage to fruit trees and growing timber. The damage to growing crops by heavy winds was slight as the following per cent of damage would indicate. The damage to Wheat for the whole state was .9 of one per cent, Rye 1 per cent, Barley 1 per cent, Oats 1.2 per cent, Tame Hay 1.1 per cent.

J. C. MACKENZIE,

*Secretary.*







CENTRAL DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.													
	Winter wheat.	Winter rye.	Spring wheat.	Spring rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Corn.	Field peas.	Peas for canning.	Potatoes.	Cabbage.	Tobacco.	Sugar Beets.	Pastures.
Adams	95	80	90	85	95	94	93	92	.....	99	100	.....	.....	100
Brown	93	85	90	.....	92	100	98	100	110	85	85	.....	75	110
Buffalo	95	94	97	96	100	97	95	100	94	100	91	.....	88	105
Calumet	100	95	90	.....	95	100	97	100	98	100	95	.....	94	100
Clark	85	94	.....	.....	90	95	90	83	85	100	.....	.....	.....	100
Eau Claire	98	100	91	90	94	98	95	87	94	100	100	95	95	108
Fond du Lac	100	100	98	100	102	110	106	100	98	105	102	.....	97	104
Green Lake	96	100	.....	102	102	105	96	98	94	93	90	.....	95	105
Jackson	100	98	95	95	100	97	95	90	.....	94	85	92	.....	100
Juneau	100	95	100	97	110	95	90	100	.....	90	98	95	.....	100
Kewaunee	85	92	95	.....	97	102	95	75	70	100	.....	.....	96	105
La Cro-se	95	94	90	94	96	100	105	.....	98	97	99	.....	.....	108
Manitowoc	96	98	95	.....	100	102	100	95	95	98	94	.....	100	100
Marquette	92	75	90	85	100	102	97	.....	.....	100	85	.....	.....	103
Monroe	100	85	100	90	95	90	90	.....	95	95	.....	100	.....	100
Outagamie	95	95	90	85	97	98	95	91	92	94	97	.....	88	98
Pepin	90	90	88	85	98	97	92	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	100
Pier e	100	102	100	.....	103	102	93	100	100	98	100	.....	97	110
Portage	100	100	93	97	100	95	97	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	105
Sheboygan	.....	15	95	.....	97	98	95	80	.....	100	90	.....	.....	100
Trempealeau	.....	95	93	.....	97	98	98	90	.....	97	95	100	90	103
Waupaca	100	100	90	95	100	100	97	80	95	100	90	85	100	103
Waushara	92	90	98	91	100	97	98	92	90	100	88	.....	95	105
Winnebago	90	95	97	.....	98	100	90	85	90	75	85	.....	90	103
Wood	75	92	100	.....	98	88	85	95	.....	80	90	85	.....	100

CENTRAL DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.						Comparative acreage of crops.		Damage to tobacco by frost and other causes.	Damage by cut-worms.	Damage by cyclones and tornadoes.					
	Apples.	Small fruits.		Alfalfa		Tame hay.		Buck-wheat.			Tobacco.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Tame hay.
		Condition.	Yield per acre.	Condition.	Yield per acre.	Condition.	Yield per acre.									
Adams	81	90	85	2	98	2.8	98	.....	.....	5	1	2	2	.....		
Brown	80	85	100	1.5	100	2	.....	.....	.....	5	3	5	4	7		
Buffalo	72	88	100	1.7	102	2	95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Calumet	75	95	100	2.8	100	2	100	.....	.....	5	.....	5	.....	.....		
Clark	84	65	90	1.5	102	1.7	97	110	5	4	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Eau Claire	70	97	98	2.1	105	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....		
Fond du Lac	65	80	100	1.8	108	2.2	.....	.....	.....	1	2	1	5	4		
Green Lake	65	80	94	2	105	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	5	.....	.....		
Jackson	60	85	95	2	100	2.1	88	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Juneau	50	35	95	1.8	98	1.8	97	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Kewaunee	63	75	96	1.5	93	1.7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
La Croise	80	92	103	1.4	100	1.8	105	.....	.....	4	2	5	4	5		
Manitowoc	70	88	98	2.7	100	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Marquette	60	60	95	1.5	98	1.5	90	100	.....	5	5	7	5	3		
Monroe	60	100	100	1.5	100	2	80	100	.....	.....	.....	10	2	.....		
Outagamie	76	95	98	2.3	100	1.8	.....	.....	.....	3	4	5	5	.....		
Pepin	40	.....	.....	.....	100	1.5	.....	.....	.....	10	5	7	5	.....		
Pierce	45	90	100	2	105	2.1	94	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Portage	75	90	99	1.5	105	1.8	95	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....		
Sheboygan	70	90	100	1.5	102	1.8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Trempealeau	60	75	100	3	101	1.7	97	95	.....	7	7	5	5	8		
Waupaca	70	85	100	1.5	102	2.1	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Waushara	75	88	103	1.8	105	2.2	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
Winnebago	75	90	102	1.7	93	1.4	100	100	.....	3	2	5	3	.....		
Wood	50	80	100	2	90	1.8	105	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5		

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.													
	Winter wheat.	Winter rye.	Spring wheat.	Spring rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Corn.	Field peas.	Peas for canning.	Potatoes.	Cabbage.	Tobacco.	Sugar beets.	Pastures.
Columbia	95	88	93	98	90	97	94	98	98	97	100	98	95	98
Crawford	102	95	96	95	104	108	91	78	92	70	92	98	98	103
Dane	98	97	100	100	100	104	102	95	100	98	100	102	100	110
Dodge	94	95	90	100	100	102	100	90	90	98	90	100	100	100
Grant	95	90	98	100	98	100	96	90	100	100	100	100	103	103
Green	100	95	100	100	100	98	105	100	105	99	100	100	105	105
Iowa	103	93	100	100	100	98	98	103	103	103	100	100	103	103
Jefferson	94	97	100	97	101	107	100	98	87	102	100	102	100	103
Kenosha	100	98	100	97	98	100	95	100	95	100	100	95	100	100
Lafayette	100	97	100	100	100	102	98	100	100	90	90	100	90	95
Milwaukee	100	102	98	97	100	104	85	100	90	68	85	90	90	104
Ozaukee	95	93	98	100	95	100	93	100	90	93	85	90	90	108
Racine	95	88	96	102	100	99	100	100	96	95	105	100	100	110
Richland	100	100	95	98	90	103	90	100	100	100	85	85	110	110
Rock	100	104	90	90	104	102	110	105	107	100	98	107	98	102
Sauk	102	100	97	100	103	107	105	100	96	100	99	100	104	104
Vernon	90	85	85	95	93	90	100	96	98	98	97	100	102	102
Walworth	100	98	100	100	100	104	95	100	97	100	97	100	105	105
Washington	100	100	100	105	105	103	103	100	100	100	100	100	108	108
Waukesha	95	97	95	90	90	96	88	100	80	100	100	100	98	98

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.						Comparative acreage of crops.		Damage to tobacco by frost and other causes.	Damage by cut-worms.	Damage by cyclones and tornadoes.				
	Apples.	Small fruits.		Alfalfa		Tame hay.		Buck-wheat.			Tobacco.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.
		Condi-tions.	Yield per acre.	Condi-tions.	Yield per acre.	Condi-tions.	Yield per acre.								
Columbia	68	85	85	1.3	93	1.7	100	85	2	2	6	6	8		
Crawford	70	84	94	2.3	110	2.5	90	100	2	2	6	6	8		
Dane	75	95	100	2.2	107	2.5	98	100	6	6	6	6	8		
Dodge	65	90	100	2.1	103	2.2	100	100	5	5	5	5	8		
Grant	50	65	100	1.1	105	1.8	95	105	2	2	2	2	2		
Green	60	95	105	2.1	107	1.8	100	100	2	2	2	2	2		
Iowa	55	85	93	1.7	100	1.7	100	100	3	3	3	3	3		
Jefferson	50	85	102	1.6	105	2.2	100	100	3	3	3	3	3		
Kenosha	65	90	100	2.5	100	1.7	100	100	3	3	3	3	3		
Lafayette	55	91	95	2.3	100	2.2	100	100	4	4	4	4	4		
Milwaukee	55	85	92	1.6	105	1.8	100	100	3	3	3	3	3		
Ozaukee	70	95	100	2.7	100	1.8	100	100	3	3	3	3	3		
Racine	65	95	103	1.8	110	2.2	100	90	2	2	2	2	2		
Richland	70	90	98	1.8	100	2.2	90	100	2	2	2	2	2		
Rock	60	97	100	1.5	98	1.3	85	106	2	2	2	2	2		
Sauk	50	98	100	1.8	103	2.4	100	100	2	2	2	2	2		
Vernon	60	80	100	1.5	100	2.8	100	105	2	2	2	2	2		
Walworth	50	85	100	1.8	101	1.5	100	100	2	2	2	2	2		
Washington	50	90	100	1.5	100	1.7	100	100	2	2	2	2	2		
Waukesha	50	90	85	2.2	100	2.5	100	100	2	2	2	2	2		

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# WISCONSIN FARM CROP REPORT

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OFFICE OF WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE,  
State Fair Park, West Allis, August 15, 1914.

The average condition of crops in the State on August 1st, 1914, is as follows: Corn 96.1 per cent; Field Peas 93.1; Potatoes 95.8; Cabbage 92.9; Beans 93.8; Tobacco 95.1; Sugar Beets 94.8; Pastures 98.1; Buckwheat 94.6; Alfalfa 93.4. The average yield per acre of Alfalfa, second cutting, was 1.4 tons.

Grains, particularly Oats, ran lighter than anticipated, rust having injured the crop severely. However, a high average crop has been harvested. The Hay crop harvested the largest in years. On August 1st our correspondents complained that crops were suffering on account of drought. However, the rains during the latter part of August have helped late crops considerably.

J. C. MacKENZIE,  
*Secretary.*

Following are some of the interesting notes from our correspondents. A paragraph is given for each correspondent.

## NORTHERN DIVISION.

### Ashland County:

Rains have been well distributed and conditions are improving.

The season has been quite favorable for most crops. Have had plenty of rain until about July 10th or thereabout when we were without any rain other than very light showers. Pasture has been excellent and growing crops doing finely. Potatoes look very well but are not a full stand of plants. Heavy rain and hot sun rotted considerable seed. We have some late planted potatoes, after early peas, that are very good. Cabbage prospect is good. Third crop Alfalfa is now (Aug. 10th) about six inches high.

### Barron County:

The outlook for all crops is above average except oats which is affected with rust (red) cutting down the field. The hay crop just



harvested is the largest and best on record. Potatoes have a very thrifty look and color and with no unforeseen causes will be a bumper crop. Corn somewhat weedy on account of the excessive rains.

Conditions in this vicinity are about normal. There has been too much rain, for low ground crops are drowned out. Corn is good; also potatoes on high land; oats seem to be coming on too fast to fill well. Hay was a heavy crop all around.

#### **Bayfield County:**

The hay crop just harvested is heavier than usual. Corn is backward and acreage small. Small grains are doing well but would profit greatly by rainfall, as the weather is dry and warm.

Wheat, both Spring and Winter, is a very good crop. Barley is also showing up very well. Corn is still somewhat backward. Potatoes are rather poor due to the excessive rains the first part of the season. The oat crop is light and affected with considerable rust. New alfalfa seedings are showing up very good. There promises to be a good crop of clover seed in this locality.

The crop conditions of this locality are very promising so far. At the present time it is getting to be rather dry so a good allowance of rain will be beneficial. The hay crop was very good this year and all the farmers got their crop stored in good condition. The pastures are getting a trifle low. There will be an abundance of apples in this vicinity,—free from most all diseases and insects.

#### **Burnett County:**

The crops do not look as good as they did a month ago. Spring Wheat is about all harvested here, but did not fill as well as was expected earlier. Corn seems to be behind, due possibly to the excess of moisture, and I do not predict as good a crop as last year. Potatoes from present indications will make a good average crop.

Crops are all doing nicely considering weather. The harvesting is all done with a fair yield of oats and rye. Haying is practically all done with a good yield of hay.

#### **Chippewa County:**

Oats and Field Peas grew so fast in early part of June that they were affected by rust. Corn is standing up well and rain in a few days will make it a bumper crop. Potatoes have been affected by dry weather and blight has appeared in a good many fields. Hay was a general good crop.

Oats are very rusty and were damaged by wind storm; they are not going to be a very large crop and are of poor quality.

Conditions in general are good, but late potatoes, cabbage and corn are in need of rain. Harvesting shows that grains are running very light owing to rust. There is plenty of straw, but the excessive heat ripened the grain too fast. On light soils pasture is beginning to be thin.



**Door County:**

All crops are in good condition. Frequent rains through July have given meadows a splendid start and second crop of clover promises to be very heavy. The barley and rye yield is very heavy, oats rusty. Cherry growers have completed the largest harvest of this fruit ever grown in this section. Apples promise a fair crop of good quality.

We have had almost too much rain for crops, except pastures. Army worms have been doing some damage. Farming is fine; everybody is satisfied and making all kinds of improvements.

**Douglas County:**

Incessant rain up to latter part of June and one heavy rain about July 10th accounts for poor condition of potatoes and corn. Since July 10th we have had no rain at all for balance of July.

About two-thirds of the farms in Douglas County are on heavy clay soils, quite level to gently rolling; balance on sandy loam to sand, level to very hilly. My reports are confined pretty much to the clay and level sandy loam soils. Generally speaking when we have too much rain on our heavy level soils, the farms on hilly sandy soils yield best and vice versa. May and June were wet and somewhat cool; potatoes, corn, and other cultivated crops suffered severely. Hay is full crop; quality of hay will be 100%.

**Dunn County:**

Crop conditions are good generally. Hay is a heavy yield and good quality. Oats have blighted to some extent. Early varieties of potatoes are blighting. The apple and plum crop will be very light on account of blight. Crops are considerable above the average, especially corn, potatoes, barley, and hay.

Barley is a pretty fair crop, but oats are very light. Many farmers say they are the lightest they ever cut. The ground is getting quite dry and pastures are getting quite poor.

**Florence County:**

Conditions in general are good, but rust struck oats at the most critical time; very light as to yield and quality.

Our potato crop is excellent. Pastures are abundant, on account of the copious rains. Corn is doing nicely although some of it has been blown down by a recent storm.

**Forest County:**

It has been a little too wet; oats rusting bad; potatoes fine but too wet; hail hurt corn some places. If frost doesn't come too soon, there will be a big crop of corn and potatoes. Alfalfa in a few places doing fine; more is tried every year; what there is is fine.

It is not the season yet to make sure about the late crops, but speaking in general terms, the outlook for almost everything here

is for a better crop than for several years past. Beans, Peas, Sugar Beets, and Tobacco are raised in this county only in small quantities and it would be difficult to report them correctly. We have had plenty of rain and the soil is in fine condition. It was quite cool during June but July was warm and the delayed crops are now up with the season.

**Iron County:**

Oats crop straw rather short but headed out good. Corn crop looking favorable. Potato crop also looking good, but potato bugs reported bad on sand land.

**Langlade County:**

All small grains promise well with the exception of oats, rust having injured the crop severely.

Oats have suffered by rust; kernel is small and shriveled; not half crop. Potatoes promise a heavy yield where bugs were poisoned in time. Alfalfa will furnish a third crop.

**Lincoln County:**

Just now it is a little too dry here; hail storm done considerable damage to corn and oats. Oats is very rusty and will be poor, probably little better than half a crop. Clover looks good for a second cutting.

Conditions are fair with exception of being quite dry for potatoes and late crops, but have not suffered any so far as yet. Rye is above the average of last year; oats is far below in quality on account of rust, being very light. Buckwheat looks good.

**Marathon County:**

Barley crop is uneven; much was lodged. Oat crop very light; rust very bad. Small varieties of corn look good but longer seasoned corn very slow to tassel and ear. Second growth of clover very good.

The weather warm and dry. Oat crop is almost a failure on account of wet spring for late seeding; was damaged by rust. Barley good; hay is all high grade, hardly any spoiled by rain. Meadows and new seeding of clover and timothy good.

Oats will be very light on account of rust. Barley will also be light but somewhat better than oats. Winter wheat is very light. Winter rye is a little better. Hay crop was very good. Corn is very good, but a little late. No alfalfa in this section, except that I have some of this years seeding and that is very good.

The hay crop was good in this part of the country, and the grain was as good as could be until the first part of July. It happened to get the rust so bad that there is nothing of it left. Some of the oats has been cut for hay, because the grain did not mature.

**Marinette County:**

Too much rain; some crops are drowned and some grain lodged; corn lodged but is pretty well straightened up again.

Heavy winds blew down corn, oats and grain, but it has raised. Hail did considerable damage in places. Corn yellow on most sandy soils, but very good.

In this immediate vicinity it has been exceedingly wet until July 1st. Therefore all crops on low ground are going to amount to but very little. On the high grounds crops in most cases are excellent and will make up for the losses in other respects. Hay was generally an excellent crop. Pastures are the best known with perhaps one exception. Grain seems to be a splendid crop although there is some rust and the heavy storms have lodged some. From appearance potatoes are not what they ought to be, but with good weather from now on they may turn out all right. Crops in general that were not hit by the June 15th frost (which went in streaks) I refer particularly to corn and vegetables, are excellent.

It has been rather too cool and wet for corn to make as rapid growth as it should. Rust has set on the late plantings of oats, but the early plantings are free from it. It is hard to keep a seeding of alfalfa here because the blue grass chokes it out about the second year.

**Oconto County:**

Farm crops looked as good as could be until July 27th when we had a heavy wind and rain storm which knocked everything down to the ground so that grain could be cut only from two sides, and it will be hard to harvest corn with a binder. Oats and barley will be discolored on account of excessive rains.

Pasture is the best for years. The second crop of clover is the largest that I have ever seen this time of year. Hay was a fine crop and will harvest the largest ever.

Heavy wind and lots of rain caused the grain to lay flat to the ground. The dairy interest is growing fast; farmers are buying pure bred bulls. About fifty silos going up this summer.

**Oneida County:**

The crops in this County are looking very fine at this time. Potatoes are exceptionally well along for this time of year. We expect a big potato year. Corn was very slow in starting the growth, but during the last two weeks has made rapid progress. Pastures never looked better. Early oats will give very good yields, but due to the rust, late oats will be light.

Excessive moisture has made it difficult to poison bugs on potatoes, so considerable damage has been done. High temperature during July has been favorable to the development of the corn crop. Oats are good in my locality but have generally rusted badly in most parts of the county; yield will therefore be light.

Early oats slightly deteriorated from rust. Late oats very rusty. The early oats promise fully average crop. Plenty of moisture for potatoes and silo corn, but nights too cool past few days. Second crop clover on last year seeding is very fine. All neat cattle looking well and cows holding out fine on their milk flow.

**Polk County:**

Corn and potatoes promise well so far. Rye is poor; the kernels are small and straw is short. Barley seems fairly good. Wheat is affected with black rust; some fields are hardly worth cutting. Oats had good long straw but some fields are affected with red and black rust, so the kernels are not filled out well, especially in succotash. Fields of pure oats are not quite as badly affected and promise a fair yield.

The farmers are busy harvesting and prospects are bright for large yields. The straw will be poor as a rule, but the grain will be heavy. The rain last week made potato prospects look better. All barns are full of hay and stacks are seen on every farm. Small fruit was very scarce due to hot dry weather when fruit was setting.

The agricultural conditions in general are very good. Our crops consist mainly of corn, oats, potatoes, and hay, all of which is in a very good condition.

Crops are quite good. Oats are light, a good deal of it on account of rust. Barley was the best crop I have seen for many years. Quite a lot of second crop clover pastures are getting a little too dry.

**Price County:**

Pastures in this locality are excellent, and crops of all kinds are doing well.

**Rusk County:**

A little too much rain throughout season. All hay and clover extra good quality and yield above average. Not much trouble in harvesting. Oats rusted some but otherwise good. Potatoes and corn very good but poor stand, some parts having entirely drowned out. Prospects very good and farmers well satisfied.

**St. Croix County:**

Much damage has been done by rusts on barley and oats. Hay was a bumper crop. It is rather dry for corn and potatoes at present. Some other vegetable crops are also suffering slightly on account of drought. With rain in the near future, fall pastures will be good.

Excellent crop here. Oats are a little light, but otherwise crops are excellent. Hay is exceptionally good.

Oats are badly affected with rust, while the stand is heavy, it is not filled; may not be more than one half a crop.



Wheat will be a poor yield; black rust and hot weather hurt it; other grains good. Pastures are commencing to dry up some.

The oat crop promised to be very good, but rust and heat has struck it and makes it one-half crop. Barley acreage is cut in half compared with last year; scarcely any wheat or flax.

#### **Sawyer County:**

Crops on the sandy loam or light soil are in very good condition as we have had plenty of rain, but on the heavy clay soil there is too much rain. Just now we have a very dry spell again and crops are beginning to suffer on the light soils.

Oats are good and hay crop is very large. Alfalfa and clover was nearly all killed last winter by reason of not having enough snow.

Rust has hurt oats. First crop of hay got in barn in good condition. Cows are giving good returns on account of good pasture. Farmers are improving farms more than for several years. Six new silos going up near Exeland. Farmers all feel prosperous. Many new settlers buying land.

Some potatoes drowned out on low clay ground. Corn in fine shape. Hay and pastures never better. Clover and timothy cut from two to three and a half tons per acre. This promises to be the banner crop in years.

#### **Shawano County:**

Oats is damaged some. Rust and too much moisture is the cause. Everything is booming.

Timothy was very good. Clover less than average. Rust has been bad on grain. Oats will be very light. Pasture has been above average.

Oats badly lodged in this vicinity and not very well filled.

Potato bugs have been very bad, and too much rain after planting, and now it is becoming quite dry. Oats are light, but barley is good.

Corn, potatoes, and pastures are fine. Buckwheat is not very good. Cabbage growers say about half crop is all they will get. The oats crop turned out very poor because of the rust.

#### **Taylor County:**

Conditions in general are fine. The worst is the rust in the oats which did considerable damage, especially oats that were a little late, of which I should judge the weight per bushel will be cut to pretty near half. Potatoes are doing fine; no blight to be seen yet. Corn a little behind. Stock all in good condition. Pastures are getting short and dry.

Crops have suffered from excessive moisture of June. Potatoes rotted, oats acquired rust, barley drowned, and corn was retarded;



have since all recovered considerably. Hay was good; barley good; oats is fair; corn good, and what is left of potatoes are very good.

Regarding potatoes, on rolling lands they look good, but the very dry weather may cause poor setting. What is left of potatoes on the level clay lands look good where well cultivated. Oats a very light crop from late seeding; a little better from early seeding; all extremely rusty. Rye and barley harvested and is of good quality and yield. Corn, potatoes, and second growth of clover need rain. Hay a heavy crop; blue berries hardly any; cranberries very light crop; garden truck all O. K. All live stock in best possible condition. Weather conditions for haying have been ideal after 4th of July and quality of crop is No. 1 and plenty of it.

Hay extra good and plenty of it. Grain all poor except Rye.

#### **Vilas County:**

Everything looks above normal except corn, the cold nights having held it back. I believe potatoes will be of good quality and heavy yield. Oats is awfully rusty and some late seeding has some smut.

Wind storm damaged corn and grains considerably.

#### **Washburn County:**

The condition for this part of the state I have not seen better for many years and there will be a large crop of every kind.

This part of the county has had rather too much rain and the corn and potatoes are rather uneven in growth and weedy, but where it has had good cultivation is good. Hay very heavy.

Oats light and of poor quality owing to too hot weather at filling stage. Potatoes and corn a trifle behind last years crop at this date, but of good healthy color and growth. Many farmers are taking advantage of the excellent pastures and are grazing with imported feeders, something new in this section and a venture which will be watched with interest.

We are at present passing through a severe drouth which for the present at least has made all crops look bad, and if relief isn't near at hand we will soon have a lower average. Of course in this sandy soil it depends wholly upon the weather. If we get rain soon, things will respond quickly and make up lots they have already lost.

### CENTRAL DIVISION.

#### **Adams County:**

General crop conditions are good, but rain needed badly soon in many localities. Local showers have kept things going up to present time. Potatoes good stand and look well. Early corn looks good but ears are not filling well owing to drouth.

Many fields of corn which a month ago were great to look upon are now a complete ruin on account of the excessive drouth. Some sections of the county have had more rain but taken as a whole the county is exceedingly dry. A few scattering fields of corn on heavy land are in first class condition and will produce a crop without any more rain. Oats are only a fair crop as a good rain at the right time would have helped very much. River bottom pasture is good, while pasture on upland is completely dried up. Silage for summer feeding is now proving its great worth. Alfalfa is making very little growth but is doing better than clover.

#### **Brown County:**

The oat crop has been very much damaged, being laid low by rain and wind early in the month and then covered with rust. Some fields will not pay for the labor. Barley also injured. There was an immense hay crop secured, and the second crop of clover is coming on fairly well. Corn late and some fields too wet.

#### **Buffalo County:**

Grain was badly lodged and rusted. Oats are rather poor in quality. Pastures badly burned. Corn promises an extra crop. Rain badly needed. An immense crop of hay harvested in good condition.

#### **Calumet County:**

The crops in this County are very good this year. There is some rust on oats, otherwise we would have a bumper crop. We are in need of rain badly for corn and sugar beets. Beets are looking fine if we only get rain soon. Apples are almost a failure, and are dropping off the trees every day. Barley is fair.

#### **Clark County:**

Oats rusted badly. Hay fairly good crop.

Have had ideal weather conditions for haying. Corn will be coming along fine if warm weather remains with frequent showers of rain. Clover seedings of last spring are coming along fine.

Oats practically a failure. Poor yield of other small grains apparently due to rust.

With the exception of hay, crops are below the average. It has been too warm and wet all summer. Oats are rusted and blighted. They could not cultivate, so the corn is small and weedy. Potatoes are going to be a light crop; a good deal of the seed rotted. Winter grain is better. Hay is a large crop. This is the worst summer I have seen in 40 years. It looked good in spring but water killed it.

**Eau Claire County:**

In this County, drouth prevails. Pastures, meadows, late potatoes, cabbage need rain. Corn in some fields suffering. Not much of old grain in farmers hands. As high as 75c has been paid for corn.

The rye crop, most of which is in the stack, promises good, a better yield is looked for than the average. Both the rye and oat crops were difficult to harvest on account of the rains of early July beating it down, causing much of the oats not to fill. Therefore a light oat crop is expected by some. The corn, potato, and alfalfa crop, also the new seeding, are suffering from drouth at present writing, as we haven't had any rain for three weeks.

Crops are in fine condition, but are in need of rain, especially corn and potatoes. Oats are going to be rather light as we had too much rain and hot weather when they started to fill, also rather rusty. There will be a good second crop of clover for hay or seed, if we get rain soon.

Weather conditions not steady. Too much rain in early part of season, promoting rank growth which is now suffering in hot weather. Crops on light soil not matured ten days ago damaged by dry weather, but heavier soil still contains enough moisture to carry crops for at least ten days to two weeks longer, with little damage to crops. Corn is filling rapidly, and a good rain would make a bumper crop. Peas show some blight, probably owing to hot and dry weather. Potatoes, while some stands look spotted and thin on account of poor seed and excessive moisture at time of planting, most of the fields are looking fine and with about two good rains should show a bumper crop. Cabbage shows a little uneven at present, but about all it lacks to make a good crop is moisture. Beans look good and would produce a fair crop without any more rain. Sugar beets about the average, but quality should be exceptionally fine this season. Pastures drying up and need rain badly. Buckwheat showing up fine, and the yield should be heavy. Alfalfa has been very good so far, but later than usual, as just finishing on second cutting last ten days. Last cutting, if cut at all will be short unless we have a good soaking rain. Tobacco on our light soil showing exceptionally good growth, and owing to absence of heavy winds, rains, and no hail, should run a great percentage of finest quality, providing it is not damaged from this on.

**Fond du Lac County:**

Barley does not yield very good. Oats has been partly ruined by the terrible heat. Late oats is worthless. Many fields of early oats has crinkled and will be nearly worthless. Pastures have nearly all dried up. New seeding (alfalfa, clover) does not look very good.

Very dry at present in this locality. Hot sun during the day and cool nights. Shock threshing in progress. Oats heavy straw, but light grain. Hot weather and army worms ruined more or less what would have been a bumper crop of oats. Live stock doing fairly well as pastures have been fine. The present fly season is a hard one on cows.

Barley good; oats yield poor to acre, and is very light. Rye and winter wheat are very good on account of the dry weather. Pasture is very poor. Corn and potatoes are not growing to any extent. Peas for canning are a very heavy crop. The second crop of alfalfa makes very good hay.

Oats are very light and some fields have been ruined by army worms. Corn is coming good but needs rain. Pastures have been good thus far but are becoming short on account of drouth. Alfalfa is the banner crop, yielding in several cases two loads per acre both cuttings.

Corn is extra good but the pastures are very poor, being very dry. The hay is very short, due to the same cause. Potatoes look good but will be affected if dry weather continues. A great deal of the oat crop has been injured by the rust. A large percentage of the barley lodged, causing it to fill very poorly. Clay ground grain better than the muck, as the grain on the richer ground was very rank and lodged before filling.

Continous hot weather and lack of moisture has lowered the condition of all crops. Oats were affected by blight and army worms. Some fields were so poor that they were not cut. Cabbage is not developing heads. Second crop of clover is drying as if burnt.

**Green Lake County:**

Oats are yielding from 35 to 55 bushel per acre, and barley about 30 bushel. Corn is looking well now and is well eared in most cases, but unless we have rain soon it will not fill out well at the end. Most of it is in the roasting stage now. Pastures are drying up badly.

The oat crop promised unheard of yields early in the season. The great rainfall in June and the extreme heat shortly after caused much rust and premature ripening. The crop was a great disappointment.

**Jackson County:**

Oats is nearly a complete failure. Sugar beets are not grown here. The dry weather is hurting the corn, potatoes, garden, pastures, seeding and so on.



Corn, potatoes, and new seeding need rain.

We have had two weeks of dry hot weather. Pasture and late potatoes are suffering from rain, so is buckwheat. Late oats are light on account of rust. Corn is a big crop; some fields are poor on low land on account of so much rain in June. Winter wheat and rye and barley are a good big crop. Blight has struck some of our orchards bad while others are not affected at all. Very few apples this year.

**Juneau County:**

The present condition of crops is good, but if dry weather continues another week it will begin to have a bad effect on corn and late potatoes.

Help is very scarce and hard to get. Ground very dry.

Corn is good on high ground but it is getting dry and the corn is starting to wilt. Early oats was good but the late oats are light on account of ripening quick. Potatoes are drowned out to a good extent. The hay crop is good this year, as there was plenty of rainfall in the spring.

**Kewaunee County:**

Corn has been in good condition until the recent tornado and cyclone struck this section of the country, when it lodged and since then its growth is somewhat handicapped. Field peas and oats are somewhat checked by the rust. Potatoes in lower places have rotted out as a result of heavy rains the first part of June. Cabbage and beans are very promising while sugar beets and mangel wurzels never looked better. Pastures are somewhat gone up due to the short spell of dry weather that existed through here some time ago. Buckwheat is most excellent. Alfalfa is very thrifty in some places but weedy in consequence of recent rains having somewhat checked its growth. Cucumbers yield heavily and small ones are being preserved in large quantities. Barley stood well until the recent heavy wind-storms when it lodged, which caused the harvesting of same very difficult. Oats will be equally as difficult to harvest due to the same cause, the both grains will yield fairly well. Rye stood well for cutting; somewhat shorter than usual, and the yield will be middling. Clover fields that have been pastured over and the cattle turned out about the middle of June look fine, and may yield quite well, whereas fields that have been cut later are too far behind, and the seed will hardly mature.

**La Crosse County:**

It has been quite dry on sandy land. No damage done however.

Crops generally good; some oats light and rusted slightly. In some cases haying and harvesting had to be worked together. Lighter soils are getting very dry now.



We have not had rain in 23 days, and it has been awfully hot. The pastures on high land are drying up fast, and also the potatoes and corn which are not taken care of right. My corn does not suffer much because I have taken the right care of it. Nine days ago I sowed alfalfa in my corn and it is two inches above the ground already. I have a fine piece of corn fully as good as last year.

**Manitowoc County:**

Oat rust is very bad on late oats. The army worm is eating the potato crop. Oats in general is very light. The peas ran very good. Most of the corn had to be planted over.

The corn, field peas, and pastures have suffered from drought, so has the oats; winter grain is yielding good, so is alsike clover for seed. The red clover seed will be scarce in this section.

While good hay crop has been harvested, pastures are beginning to suffer from drouth. Grain crops have been harvested in good condition. Rain needed for all root and garden crops.

**Marquette County:**

A few farms report army worms. Oats light, wheat good, early planted corn better than the late planted. New potatoes are selling at 50c per bushel and are very good. The pastures being good, all stock look well. No hog cholera reported in this county.

Crops are the best we have had for several years in this locality. It has been dry here the last two weeks.

**Monroe County:**

Wet weather in June set everything back; then followed hot dry weather; has cut the grain crop 40%, and now corn and potatoes are suffering, and unless we get rain soon, great loss will follow to corn and potatoes and fall pastures.

**Outagamie County:**

The conditions are such that a bumper crop is assured in this county.

The year in general has been good. We had one severe wind storm and rain that did a great deal of damage. The oat crop has suffered from the hot weather the last of June and first of July. Grain looked fine, but the hot weather kept it from filling good. In this locality we have had plenty of rain all the time and at times too much.

Hay was secured in good condition and have an exceptionally large crop. Late sown oats are almost worthless; all oats rusted; spring wheat very good, also barley.

The crops in general look pretty good in this section, but a little behind time. Cabbage will be a big crop. Sugar beets and corn will have to have a late fall. Potatoes are fair; beans are a pretty

fair crop; buckwheat is a good crop in this part of the county; pastures are drying up some and getting hard.

**Pepin County:**

It has been very dry here for the last three weeks. Corn and potatoes are suffering bad for rain.

**Pierce County:**

Rye and barley good; oats light on account of rust; in some places it reached the stage when it appeared as black rust; there is an abundance of straw.

Pastures, corn, and potatoes are badly in need of rain. Wheat and oats were hurt by hot weather and rust.

Oats has been seriously damaged by rust. All grain is more or less shrunk by hot, dry weather. There are some reports of chintz bugs in the neighborhood but very little damage is reported.

All the small grains are badly affected with rust. There is an abundance of straw but the yield will be small. Some of the oats is very poor. Wheat will be nearly an average crop. At the present time it is very dry. Pastures and gardens suffer most. It don't seem to affect the corn as yet, but if we don't get rain soon I expect it will reduce the yield. Second growth clover is good. Apples and plums will be a small crop.

**Portage County:**

The dry weather of the fore part of August has injured the corn and potato crop some.

Crops a little better than average. Oat crop good. Hay crop immense.

Crops are very good here. Wind has done some damage to small grain and corn. Some potatoes show effect of the potato bug. Grass has been very green all summer, which is unusual for this section. Stock is going at good prices.

**Sheboygan County:**

Oats are light on account of hot weather and rust, and many pieces damaged by army worm. Some nearly all destroyed. Corn planted on last fall plowing and well worked this spring looks fine; on spring plowed not so good, especially on the lower ground. Pasture is getting short except where the hay was cut early; on late cut meadows no growth to speak of on account of dry weather.

All crops started out all right. The wet spring damaged corn and peas quite a little and now for the dry season the grain ripened too soon and causes a poorer grade, too light in kernel. Some oat fields are badly infected with army worms, some having even cut the oats green. Barley is a little below the average of last year.

Crops have been quite favorable in every way until of late; hav

been very dry. The army worm has harmed the oats in some sections. Pasture is very much dried out at present. Early corn is very good.

Corn is in fair condition in spite of the drought, except late planted corn which is poor. Oats is of fair quality. In some parts of the county army worms are doing considerable damage to oats and other crops; late oats was rusted quite badly. Potatoes need rain or the late crop will fall short of the average.

**Trempealeau County:**

Oats rusted, lodged, and light. Pastures drying up. Third crop of alfalfa looking very well. Corn is either very good or very poor, according to the different conditions that obtain as regards preparation of seed bed and care afterwards.

**Waupaca County:**

Hay crop was unusually large and was harvested in fair to perfect condition. Grain generally good. Oats cut by hot spell to three-fourths or less than estimated crop just before heat. Bad wind also twisted many fields of oats when all ready for harvest. Potatoes do not make usual growth on account of recent heat.

The agricultural conditions are fair on an average. Oats was badly damaged by rain storms. Cabbage and beans are badly stripped by grasshoppers. Alfalfa has not been very productive the past few years, and the farmers are not taking very great interest in it.

The agricultural conditions in this county are very good. The oat crop is very good. Field corn is some backward, but the warm weather we have now is improving the crop. Tame hay is a very fine crop this year. The second crop of clover is heavy and by the time it is ready to cut it will be a large crop.

**Waushara County:**

The crops were standing good until the heavy rains in June and July. The crops that are standing are fine. We tried alfalfa three years but the soil is too wet.

We have had very little rain since the first of July. Old pasture is very dry.

The potatoes have been doing good. Oats has not filled out very good. Stock is in good condition. Alfalfa is not doing good this second cutting as it has been to dry.

**Winnebago County:**

Too dry and hot after wet weather; straw enough but hot and dry weather together with rust prevented grain filling good.

Grain greatly injured by rust; cut down crop about 30% especially on low lands. Dry weather cut early potato crop severely. Corn crop also will be injured unless rain comes very soon. Pas-

tures very short and dry. Third cutting alfalfa will not exceed three-fourth ton per acre unless instant relief comes. Fruit and garden produce also suffering.

Conditions not so favorable, so terrible hot and dry. Really no moisture left in ground for corn, potatoes, and pastures burning up. Oats is proving up very light; barley fine; spring wheat fair. So very dry and hot, and flies so very bad; this is very bad for Dairy Cattle; not doing well at all.

It is getting quite dry for corn and potatoes. The army worm has worked some in oats and yield will not be as big as the early estimates.

#### **Wood County:**

Late spring with excessive moisture caused very late planting of corn and potatoes, and in low places the plants are drowned out, but for the same reasons the hay crop is very good. Excessive heat in latter part of July caused oats to rust badly and barley to ripen very quickly, and the yield will be of inferior quality and light.

In regard to crops in general, I cannot see where we have any cause for complaint. Hay was a fine crop, and corn has matured very fast the last month. Oats are light; rye was good; potatoes are doing good what did not rot, which makes the fields look bad. Buckwheat could not be better, and cabbage, tobacco, and pastures are certainly fine, as we are having fine growing weather with just about enough rain.

The oat yield will be small and grain light. Barley mostly very good. Corn will make good fodder but not much ripe corn is expected in northwestern part of county. Southern and eastern part will get an average crop. Hay was splendid crop and second crop will be good. Potatoes are coming good now but stand is poor in many fields. Buckwheat is good. Heavy rains throughout the spring months injured all kinds of crops. Stock in good condition. Pastures very good.

Corn on high land is very good; on low land suffered from excessive rains. Potatoes the same. Oats are not very heavy as they were injured by rust and some by blight; spring wheat the same. Rye is good. Winter wheat winter-killed considerably. Pastures are unusually good for this time of year. Second cutting of clover is about the same as usual. In certain sections wind and hail did considerable damage to standing crops. Apples were nearly all blown off. Cranberry crop looks very promising.



## SOUTHERN DIVISION

### **Columbia County:**

Such crops as corn, beans, and buckwheat are in good condition, but the pastures are very poor on account of there being such a small amount of rainfall. Late beans and potatoes will be dried up if there is not some rain soon.

Small grain is turning out above the average and good quality. Oats are lighter on the prairie and the army worm has done considerable damage. Corn is a fine crop so far, but is needing rain now badly.

### **Crawford County:**

Corn gives promise of a great crop; a little late but fine; never saw it better. Late oats rusted badly and will be light. Hay crop great.

We have a large crop of hay; some of the early cutting was damaged some by rain and damp weather. At present rain is needed for pastures. We have a fair crop all around.

### **Dane County:**

The oat crop owing to the extreme hot weather ripened too fast and the quality is generally light. Tobacco and late potatoes are suffering for lack of moisture. Most of the potatoes are late.

Corn, potatoes, and tobacco are suffering for rain. Unless it comes soon, corn will be light. Potatoes small and tobacco what we call a small crop.

A good heavy crop of hay has been harvested and in good condition. Account of July dryness, pastures are getting short. Small grain crop good. Hog cholera is appearing in spots, but vaccination is being resorted to with the hope of holding in check the devastation of former years. More good small tenant houses are needed with the hope of inducing more good farm help from the cities. Energetic farmers and wives are working themselves to death.

This drouth has commenced to affect the corn and potatoes and also the pastures on the uplands. The hay crop in this locality is the best we have ever had. The oats was badly rusted so did not fill out as good as expected.

In this section, with rain which is very badly needed at present, late crops such as late corn, potatoes, pasture and seeding, would wonderfully improve.

### **Dodge County:**

Corn and potatoes are badly in need of rain, also pastures. Splendid crop of hay and oats secured by the farmers in general.



It is very dry here at present. Corn, potatoes, and pastures need rain badly.

Corn, potatoes, and pasture are suffering for want of rain. Oats hurt some with the severe heat.

**Grant County:**

Little dry, but if spell does not continue, prospects for bumper crop are good.

Oats will fall below average; the rust came on about the 1st of July. Corn is looking good except on low lands where the weeds got a start of the corn. Hay meadows will give very good fall pasture, and medium red clover is in bloom which will be cut for seed.

Corn promises a full crop to date. Field peas are well ripened but it appears rather drouthy at this time; late crop will be very short unless rain comes very soon. Beans have produced abundant. Pastures have been excellent up to August 1st. Alfalfa seems to be doing better as it gets older and better rooted. The estimate of one ton per acre at each cutting would be fair, but there are some lots that will do better.

All crops except oats are an excellent crop. Pastures are good. There seems at the present time nothing that will hinder the corn crop being an enormous one both as to quantity and quality. Barley was a good crop. Oats were not; the berry was light and the straw was rusted and ripened unnaturally and that which was not cut promptly lodged and crinkled badly. The weather has been fine for harvesting and threshing and farmers are generally very much elated over the general conditions especially the prospect of the corn crop.

**Green County:**

We are suffering from a severe drouth. Oats are yielding from 25 to 40 bushels per acre; the dry weather struck them just as they were filling. If the drouth continues much longer it will seriously injure the corn crop and also the tobacco.

Heavy rains have kept the pastures in good condition, making a heavy milk flow, though most of the grain is in good condition. Seeding looks good. The hay crop was very large.

It is getting quite dry. We need rain for pastures. Cows are dropping off in flow of milk. Those who have ensilage are making good use of it now. Small grain is good quality, quite heavy, but did not turn out as good as we expected.

In some places oats went down and rusted, otherwise they are very good crop. In some places corn is pretty weedy and rains have kept farmers back in plowing it.

During July the oats got badly affected with rust which did considerable damage. Have not heard of any trouble from the army

worms, although I have some in the garden eating the leaves from mangle roots and Swedish turnips.

#### **Iowa County:**

In this locality the principal crops are corn, oats, and barley; balance clover and timothy hay. The lands are fall plowed as much as possible, and run in this rotation: Corn, (and possibly corn the second year) barley and oats, seeded with clover and timothy. Dairying is the principal income. Milk is nearly all manufactured into cheese, so that nearly all crops raised on farm are fed on the farm.

The whole agricultural field has been and is at present very favorable. Rust on the oats crop did some damage, ripening very rapidly when started, causing some of the straw to break down; consequently losing some of the heads, considerable light oats as such result. Hay has been a good crop in general.

It has been a good season here; plenty of rain and no severe storms; largest hay crop on record with plenty of old hay on hand; a large number of cattle brought in to pasture.

#### **Jefferson County:**

Thus far corn has made a good growth and is farther advanced than most seasons. Small grain is yielding well, above the average. The second growth of clover and timothy is very light and if it doesn't rain soon the third crop of alfalfa will be light. The early potatoes are good and the late are apparently free from blight and bugs, but they are sadly in need of rain. Vine crops are free from bugs and are doing well. Marshes are yielding a good crop of hay. Small fruit is cut short by the drouth.

The condition of crops in general this year was very good up to about the first of July, but since that time it has been very dry throughout most of the county. The grain and early hay was a good crop but the corn and other late crops will be a long way below the average if the dry weather continues much longer.

Corn, potatoes, and pastures are very badly in need of rain. Early potatoes have suffered considerably. Corn will be a promising crop if we will get some rain in the near future. Second crop alfalfa suffered somewhat from blight or rust, for the leaves turned somewhat of a yellowish color. The drought has also affected the beans and cabbage, for only a few pods can be found on the vines.

#### **Kenosha County:**

The general agricultural conditions are exceptionally good in this section. There has been a very heavy crop of hay harvested; the clover meadows look very favorably for a crop of seed this fall. The grain is nearly all cut but little threshed; in some places the army worms have damaged the grain considerably so that this will probably lessen the yield per acre considerably.

Agricultural conditions are fine. The grain crop is heavy and promises a big yield per acre. There is some damage from army worms and the cutting of oats was hurried in some localities; late oats suffered most; some damage is reported in truck gardens and corn.

We have the best crops I have ever seen here. Some damage by army worm. Corn and potatoes fine.

**Lafayette County:**

Weather has been very favorable all the year. Oats uneven in quality. Barley good yield and quality. Wheat and rye exceptionally good. Most corn better than usual. Pastures have plenty of grass but ripe and dry. Hay of all kinds heavier than usual. All stock healthy and looking fine.

Long since all crops were so generally good. The drouth is affecting the corn and pastures.

**Milwaukee County:**

Unusually big hay crop just harvested. Brought in without rain but still of poor selling quality. Grain long in straw and plump in kernel. Corn and potatoes planted late are suffering from drouth and lack of cultivation. Farm labor cheaper than usual. Cows letting off in milk in spite of good pasture. Farmers have been on a milk strike because of tuberculin test ordinance. Strike is broken now. Grain will run good. There will be but little clover second crop. Poor stand of potatoes; no potato bugs or signs of blight.

Corn backward and weedy. Potatoes near a failure unless we have rain soon. Pastures getting short and dry.

Stand of oats and barley was excellent but owing to dry weather ripening was hurried. Corn planted before May 20th is a normal stand but all corn planted later failed to grow on low land and is a 50% stand and is suffering from present drouth. All potatoes are suffering from drouth; early planted are drying up, and late planted will be a total failure unless we have rain very shortly.

**Ozaukee County:**

On account of lack of rain, everything is set back; early corn all right; late corn very small; pastures very short; second crop of alfalfa and red clover short; potatoes ripened too early so the crop won't be any too big.

This county has put up the largest crop of hay that ever was put up. Everything else is fine, but now we need rain for late pastures and potatoes.

Corn is fair. Field peas are all ripe now but worms did about 10% damage on all late crops. Alfalfa is good; pastures are getting short; potatoes are fair; cabbage is growing good.

**Racine County:**

Corn seems to be a little late in some parts of county on account of late planting. Wet ground potatoes are looking fine at present but are in need of rain. Cabbage seems to show more yellow rot than other years in new territory. Oats is more or less rusty and some lodged. The army worm has done some damage to oats. Onions will not be a full crop on account of dry weather. Pastures are showing the dry weather and are drying up some.

Small grain is not threshing out as heavy as expected. Oats in particular is very light in weight.

**Richland County:**

Crops are above the average. Oats are not yielding as expected, heavy rains and hot sun having made them light.

Crop conditions in general are very good. Corn is especially good. The oat crop seemed damaged earlier in the season, as they were generally too thin, which caused considerable loss and lodging. Pastures being good this year, the milk flow has been exceptionally heavy and the dairy industry is rapidly increasing.

**Rock County:**

Very much in need of rain. Tobacco crop has started to show effects of dry weather by topping out very short. Pastures are also beginning to show drouth.

Late oats did not fill out as it should have, because of the dry weather touching it. Corn and tobacco is doing well.

Agricultural conditions are very promising as a general thing. The corn crop is at a very advanced stage for this time of the year. The oat crop is reported to be light on account of the rust this year. The yield is fairly good in bushels but light in weight. The second crop of alfalfa was harvested in fine shape. New seeding of alfalfa is very good. Clover seeding is coming on very good after the grain is harvested.

This has been a good season. All small grain yielded about 20% above average years, the quality being excellent. So far the corn is in excellent condition. It has been well cultivated and as it is fully two weeks ahead of average years, it bids for a heavy yield. However a rain would do it good now. The weather has been ideal all season.

Since report of July, we have had very warm weather and very little rain. It has set all crops back a great deal. Tobacco especially has suffered from the extreme heat and drouth.

**Sauk County:**

Corn, potatoes, and pastures were in unusually good condition, but dry weather is hurting them some. The drouth was also bad for late oats and barley, making a great deal of light grain. Hav-



ing so much rainfall all the season, crops are not rooted as deep as usual and drouth will affect them quicker.

Fine prospects for good crops in this section. Corn needs a good rain.

Oats in general are rather light due to the hot dry time previous to cutting. Slight damage by the army worm is reported in a few sections. Corn is great. Late potatoes look fine.

Agricultural conditions in general are very good, but a severe drouth is fast cutting down the pastures and new seedings and stunting the late corn and potatoes.

**Vernon County:**

Oats very poor; will fall short in weight; reason, rusted badly. Corn is fine; a good prospect for a bumper crop. Tobacco is good. Hay is the heaviest for many years and has been stacked in fine shape.

Oats is poor on account of rust and lodging. Tobacco is getting poor on account of being too dry. A big crop of hay has been cut. Barley is fine.

**Walworth County:**

Crop of oats very uneven. Many pieces badly struck with rust. Corn is making rapid progress; so far no damage from wind and hail. Barley is plump, though but little raised in this section.

Crops are good in this vicinity. We have had plenty of rain, and a nice heavy rain about the last of July makes new seeding look unusually strong. Many fields of oats crinkled badly just as they were getting ripe, and army worms have done considerable damage. Corn is strong, large, and looks like a heavy crop, but nearly every farmer has a silo so not much husking is done. Second crop alfalfa extra heavy and third crop growing very fast. Potatoes are strong and scarcely any bugs.

**Washington County:**

Corn is very promising and about three weeks ahead of the last few years. Barley and oats will yield more to the acre than last year. Alsike clover seed good; go about 5 to 6 bushels to the acre.

Up to July 4th the weather was ideal for all growing crops, but for the last two weeks corn, potatoes, sugar beets, pastures, new seeding of clover etc., have been suffering from the want of rain. Winter wheat and barley a full average crop and no rain during barley harvest to injure the color. Some pieces of oats rusty and a few reports of army worm.

**Waukesha County:**

Hay crop was good. Corn in high land has a good growth; on low land is somewhat backward. Pastures are short and need rain.



Potatoes are good on high land but on low land are very poor on account of too much rain when planted.

Pastures are drying up and all crops are badly in need of rain.

Corn is in a critical condition owing to continued drouth, and much injury done. Early potatoes here very few in the hill is the general complaint. Rye yielded from 10 to 20 bushels per acre, of good quality. The upland pastures are dried up.

From threshing done so far, spring wheat and oats are not meeting expectations and show a falling off from 15 to 20 points since July 1st. Winter wheat still maintains its high standing and yields of 40 bushels per acre are not uncommon. Barley shows a slight falling off since July 1st.

NORTHERN DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS								ALFALFA		
	Corn	Field Peas	Potatoes	Cabbage	Beans	Tobacco	Sugar Beets	Pastures	Buckwheat	Condition	Yield per acre, sec-ond cutting
Ashland.....	102	98	97	96	100	.....	98	103	98	94	1.4
Barron.....	103	100	98	90	95	95	90	103	95	103	1.2
Bayfield.....	94	101	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	100	.....	96	1.
Burnett.....	100	.....	95	.....	100	.....	.....	97	98	95	1.1
Chippewa.....	95	90	94	94	93	90	100	90	80	95	1.2
Door.....	103	93	90	.....	88	.....	98	115	.....	100	1.5
Douglas.....	80	80	75	90	.....	.....	.....	95	80	93	1.5
Dunn.....	100	92	94	100	100	99	95	115	100	98	.9
Florence.....	100	100	95	95	100	.....	.....	115	100	100	1.
Forest.....	95	92	110	97	110	.....	.....	115	110	.....	.....
Iron.....	90	95	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	95	100	.....	.....
Langlade.....	75	90	100	90	90	.....	.....	112	.....	100	1.6
Lincoln.....	95	100	95	100	100	.....	.....	95	100	93	1.
Marathon.....	92	88	96	90	95	.....	.....	98	.....	108	1.3
Marinette.....	90	100	100	95	98	.....	97	110	102	93	1.6
Oconto.....	88	93	99	90	90	.....	100	100	85	100	.....
Oneida.....	100	98	100	95	97	.....	.....	110	100	97	1.
Polk.....	98	.....	100	88	.....	.....	.....	97	95	95	1.6
Price.....	85	100	100	98	95	.....	.....	100	.....	100	1.5
Rusk.....	96	100	90	100	95	100	105	110	97	98	1.2
St. Croix.....	100	98	98	100	100	.....	95	103	94	100	1.3
Sawyer.....	103	97	100	100	95	.....	.....	108	100	100	1.8
Shawano.....	98	90	100	85	100	.....	94	100	88	95	1.2
Taylor.....	94	88	95	90	93	.....	.....	98	95	98	1.5
Vilas.....	100	94	105	90	95	.....	.....	110	97	110	2.
Washburn.....	98	90	100	100	98	.....	100	115	100	94	1.4

CENTRAL DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS								ALFALFA		
	Corn	Field Peas	Potatoes	Cabbage	Beans	Tobacco	Sugar Beets	Pastures	Buckwheat	Condition	Yield per acre, sec-ond cutting
Adams.....	93	.....	95	90	90	.....	.....	100	80	92	.8
Brown.....	91	80	95	75	90	.....	95	100	.....	100	1.5
Buffalo.....	100	.....	90	.....	94	.....	.....	100	.....	100	1.5
Calumet.....	94	90	90	95	90	.....	100	90	85	95	2.
Clark.....	92	82	90	.....	90	.....	85	105	95	93	1.3
Fau Claire.....	92	90	100	90	97	102	98	88	94	97	1.3
Fond du Lac.....	98	91	98	95	95	.....	90	97	85	90	1.4
Green Lake.....	102	100	95	80	95	.....	85	95	78	92	1.5
Jackson.....	97	83	90	88	98	90	85	97	90	95	1.
Juneau.....	95	105	97	95	95	95	96	93	98	95	1.7
Kewaunee.....	97	93	92	95	95	.....	96	90	95	90	1.6
La Crosse.....	104	93	97	110	100	90	.....	92	.....	95	1.
Manitowoc.....	90	85	95	97	99	.....	98	92	.....	90	1.5
Marquette.....	88	78	94	82	88	.....	.....	90	80	90	1.
Monroe.....	90	.....	93	90	90	.....	.....	90	.....	98	1.4
Outagamie.....	90	92	96	95	88	.....	90	100	92	.....	.....
Peplin.....	93	.....	94	90	87	.....	.....	90	.....	98	1.5
Pierce.....	97	99	98	95	94	.....	98	100	100	98	1.3
Portage.....	100	.....	98	.....	80	.....	.....	100	94	100	1.5
Sheboygan.....	92	100	98	97	95	.....	89	93	90	100	1.5
Trempealeau.....	90	.....	95	.....	.....	90	.....	90	100	90	1.5
Waupaca.....	100	88	93	95	90	.....	95	95	98	94	1.
Waushara.....	92	.....	90	80	90	.....	.....	97	90	91	1.
Winnebago.....	94	85	95	90	91	.....	95	85	97	97	1.3
Wood.....	96	95	95	95	100	110	85	105	98	100	1.3

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	CONDITION OF CROPS.								ALFALFA.		
	Corn	Field Peas	Potatoes	Cabbage	Beans	Tobacco	Sugar Beets	Pasture	Buckwheat	Condition	Yield per acre, sec- ond cutting
Columbia.....	90	88	83	85	85	90	90	80	1.		
Crawford.....	100	70	95	85	80	94	90	85	1.2		
Dane.....	104	95	97	75	93	98	85	100	1.5		
Dodge.....	90	88	90	75	95	95	90	100	1.4		
Grant.....	100	101	100	95	93	95	100	100	1.3		
Green.....	100	100	97	93	95	80	98	95	1.2		
Iowa.....	102	100	101	97	104	104	95	95	1.5		
Jefferson.....	97	90	98	97	95	100	97	90	100	96	1.1
Kenosha.....	99	97	98	100	98	94	95	95	1.4		
Lafayette.....	98	100	97	100	95	95	99	99	1.		
Milwaukee.....	85	80	85	90	95	110	93	93	1.2		
Ozaukee.....	95	98	97	95	102	97	95	100	110	1.7	
Racine.....	97	94	90	90	95	88	100	98	1.		
Richland.....	103	107	100	100	90	100	100	100	1.4		
Rock.....	104	98	100	102	94	97	100	103	105	1.3	
Sauk.....	103	97	100	101	80	104	100	100	100	1.4	
Vernon.....	103	93	97	93	100	93	100	100	1.5		
Walworth.....	100	100	95	100	90	95	90	103	1.4		
Washington.....	103	100	98	95	95	100	98	98	1.3		
Waukesha.....	93	90	90	95	100	90	91	91	1.3		

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# WISCONSIN FARM CROP REPORT.

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OFFICE OF WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE.

MADISON, Oct. 15, 1914.

The prediction made early in the season that Wisconsin would again lead in the yield per acre of all grains and grasses has been fulfilled with but one exception. Oats were affected by rust in practically every section of the State, and for this reason the harvest was light and the quality below the average. The corn crop was especially heavy. The yield per acre of Tobacco was above the average, the larger Tobacco producing counties reporting the following yield: Dane County, 1,475 pounds per acre; Vernon County, 1,460 pounds; Rock County, 1,450 pounds; Columbia County, 1,350 pounds; Crawford County, 1,350 pounds.

The average yield per acre of Wheat in the Northern Division is 20.1 bushels; Central Division 21; Southern Division 20.3; the general average for the State being 20.5. The average yield of Rye in the Northern Division is 19.3 bushels; Central Division, 20.3; Southern Division, 19.8. Oats yielded 31.9 bushels in the Northern Division; 36.5 in the Central Division, and 37.2 bushels in the Southern Division, the average for the State being 35.2. The average yield per acre of Corn (shelled) in the Northern Division was 40 bushels; Central Division 43.1; Southern Division 43.9, the average for the State being 42.3. The average yield of Buckwheat was 18.1 bushels per acre; Flax 15 bushels; Beans 16.3 bushels; Peas 20 bushels.

A considerable quantity of green stock has been harvested in some of the potato centers of the State. However, an excellent crop is being harvested, yielding an average of 160 bushels per acre in the Northern Division, 150.5 bushels in the Central Division, and 141 bushels in the Southern Division; the general average for the entire State is 151 bushels per acre.

The average yield per acre of Cabbage was 9.7 tons; Sugar Beets 10.4 tons; Tame Hay 2.1 tons; Alfalfa 3 tons. The Corn acreage cut for silage this year is another indication of the popularity and the increase of silos on the farm. In the Northern Division 50.1 per cent of the crop was cut for silage, Central Division 37.9 per cent, Southern Division 32 per cent, the average for the State being 40.1 per cent.

We will endeavor to show in our November report the increase in the number of silos built in Wisconsin during the past year.

**J. C. MACKENZIE,**  
*Secretary.*

A complete detailed report of the yield per acre and quality of the product by counties is shown by the following tables:

NORTHERN DIVISION.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		CORN (Shelled).	
	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.
Ashland .....	23.5	100	19	99	23.5	94	30	91		
Barron .....	17	90	20	100	22	75	26	60	32	100
Bayfield .....	20	82	15	80	37	91	34	87		
Burnett .....	15	95	12	90	25	60	25	80	35	90
Chippewa .....			20	88	40	98	30	80	36	91
Door .....	14.5	80	22	100	29	80	32	85		
Douglas .....	16	50					24	80	31	70
Dunn .....	22.5	95	18	95	28	88	36	75	45	98
Florence .....	20	50	19.5	75	27	80	20	50	38	90
Forest .....	28	90	15	100	40	115	20	50		
Iron .....	17	100	23	95	30	91	38	84	45	100
Langlade .....	18	90	16	90	37	110	29	65	44	89
Lincoln .....	31	93	18.5	95	34	94	38	75	41	87
Marathon .....	24	88	24	95	32	84	25	65	40	85
Marquette .....	17	93	18.5	95	20	95	43	75	43	88
Oconto .....	15	80	17	90	33	87	20	50	42	97
Oneida .....	21	100	15	90	26	90	30	90	30	90
Polk .....	20	90	16.5	90	30	94	35	91	47	103
Price .....	22	94	21	93	31	95	28	94	42	100
Rusk .....	27	99	24	105	35	98	41	85	45	98
St. Croix .....	27	75	22	95	37	90	40	60	50	95
Sawyer .....	26	100	25	100	34	93	37	75	44	89
Shawano .....	21	93	24	97	30	95	34	70	40	103
Taylor .....	15	85	23	91	29	91	33	50	40	90
Vilas .....	22	95	21	100	38	91	42	81	38	97
Washburn .....			16	78			28	74	31	75

NORTHERN DIVISION.	BUCK-WHEAT.		FLAX.		BEANS.		PEAS.		POTATOES.	
	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.
Ashland	18	90					24	96	138	100
Barron	15	90			8	80	14	80	120	82
Bayfield	15	80							220	91
Burnett	15	75							150	93
Chippewa	25	100					15	90	155	85
Door					12	90	19	89	130	85
Douglas							14	85	120	65
Dunn	23	96	25	95					150	95
Florence							20	100	175	84
Forest									200	110
Iron	25	97					25	100	200	100
Langlade							20	98	170	90
Lincoln	21	100					22	98	167	94
Marathon	20	100					21	90	165	93
Marinette	18	104			15	95	18	97	125	89
Oconto	14	85			20	85	18.5	80	135	90
Oneida							15	95	150	95
Polk									155	98
Price							19	98	180	100
Rusk	20	100	15	100	21	97	23	100	160	95
St. Croix			10	60					140	90
Sawyer	18	95							165	98
Shawano									187	100
Taylor							18	90	190	90
Vilas							22	92	178	100
Washburn	26	93							145	75

NORTHERN DIVISION.	TOBACCO.		CABBAGE.		SUGAR BEETS.		TAME HAY		ALFALFA.		Percentage total corn acreage planted cut for silage.
	Yield per acre in pounds.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	
Ashland					9.5	97	1.5	92	3	85	73
Barron			7	75	9	90	2	100	1.7	95	30
Bayfield							2.3	95			30
Burnett							2.5	98	2	95	70
Chippewa	1,600	98					1.4	90	3	98	45
Door					7	100	1.8	100	2.4	100	47
Douglas							2	100			80
Dunn	1,600	75	10	100	12	100	1.9	96	3	98	35
Florence			15	100			2	105			46
Forest							1.8	112			95
Iron							1.4	100			50
Langlade							2	105	4	110	60
Lincoln							2.9	104	3.7	100	55
Marathon							2.7	98	3.3	95	45
Marinette			7	95	11	100	2.3	104	3.2	105	30
Oconto					12	95	1.9	94	4	97	50
Oneida			6	90			2.5	110	3.5	105	65
Polk			13	95			2.4	107	3.1	105	65
Price							2.1	105	3.7	105	80
Rusk	1,200	100	12	100	10	100	2.3	108	3.2	115	50
St. Croix							2.1	90	5	100	45
Sawyer							2.2	97	2.9	98	12
Shawano			5	100	10	95	1.9	102	2.3	100	58
Taylor							3.4	103	4	101	50
Vilas							3	105			45
Washburn							1.8	100	1.7	100	25

CENTRAL DIVISION.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		CORN (Shelled.)	
	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.
Adams.....	20	90	16	95			40	90	47	85
Brown.....	18	90	16	95	24	90	35	70	35	90
Buffalo.....	19.5	97	18	96	31	91	38	78	39	88
Calumet.....	23	90	22	90	35	88	38	68	45	75
Clark.....			22	78	24	80	31	60	32	88
Eau Claire.....	19	98	23	99	30	96	34	90	41	98
Fond du Lac.....	23	94	28	98	36	95	40	78	44	97
Green Lake.....	15	90	22	95	34	90	42	75	42	95
Jackson.....	21	88	17	96	30	88	38	80	44	100
Juneau.....			16	88			30	90	41	88
Kewaunee.....			21	100	30	70	38	80	39	92
La Crosse.....	25	98	20	100	30	92	41	94	46	99
Manitowoc.....	30	100	30	100	35	88	40	65	48	80
Marquette.....	22	97	19	93	26	92	30	74	41	97
Monroe.....	20	90	21	98	34	91	39	71	42	98
Outagamie.....	21	95	18	97	33	93	32	75	50	97
Pepin.....	19.5	94	19	95	32	97	41	80	44	96
Pierce.....	19.5	94	23	96	30	95	39	80	47	96
Portage.....	21	97	14	90	28	94	35	85	46	90
Sheboygan.....	23	98	21	97	38	100	43	87	48	96
Trempealeau.....	19	88	20	84	29	84	30	70	47	95
Waupaca.....	24	95	23	95	37	100	38	86	44	95
Wausara.....	20	94	14	98	32	91	30	70	37	95
Winnebago.....	23	95	25	95	36	98	39	75	42	88
Wood.....	18	75	20	90	30	88	31	67	48	90

CENTRAL DIVISION.	BUCK-WHEAT.		FLAX.		BEANS.		PEAS.		POTATOES.	
	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.
Adams.....	10	95			10	100			170	75
Brown.....							10	100	125	100
Buffalo.....	16	94	16	91	15	97	16	98	145	98
Calumet.....			10	65			30	83	150	89
Clark.....			12	70			18	75	140	80
Eau Claire.....	20	90	15	92	9	91	15	95	175	90
Fond du Lac.....	21	95					25	95	150	90
Green Lake.....							25	95	145	95
Jackson.....	15	95			20	80			138	98
Juneau.....	22	95							130	90
Kewaunee.....							15	90	125	78
La Crosse.....	24	100							165	102
Manitowoc.....							28	95	150	90
Marquette.....	23	90			12	85			155	85
Monroe.....									160	90
Outagamie.....	16	100	15	95	14	88	16	99	145	95
Pepin.....	17	97					15	97	150	98
Pierce.....			15	90			16	90	185	94
Portage.....									135	85
Sheboygan.....	21	95					24	93	155	98
Trempealeau.....	18	85	12	90					135	90
Waupaca.....	16	90			13	85	20	99	145	97
Wausara.....	20	90			20	98			140	85
Winnebago.....	20	100					16	85	160	94
Wood.....	22	105	12	90	15	100	19	85	180	99

CENTRAL DIVISION.	TOBACCO.		CABBAGE.		SUGAR BEETS.		TAME HAY.		ALFALFA.		Percentage total corn acreage planted cut for silage.
	Yield per acre in pounds.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	
Adams.....							2.1	100			40
Brown.....			10	95	9	90	2.2	100	3	100	40
Buffalo.....			11	94			2.2	96	3	100	45
Calumet.....					12	85	2.5	98	3.2	98	63
Clark.....							1.8	87			55
Eau Claire.....			8	98	10	97	2.1	105	2.5	99	45
Fond du Lac.....							2.5	112	3.1	110	50
Green Lake.....							2.2	95	3	90	35
Jackson.....	1,300	90	7.5	90			1.9	97	2.9	95	25
Juneau.....							1.5	98			20
Kewaunee.....							1.8	85			85
La Crosse.....			12	115			2.4	98	3.4	115	40
Manitowoc.....							3.2	100	3.2	95	65
Marquette.....							2.2	99	2.5	98	20
Monroe.....	1,500	90					2.5	100	3.4	100	30
Outagamie.....			13	85	10	90	1.9	98	3.1	99	45
Pepin.....			11	90			2.3	97	3.3	100	47
Pierce.....			12	85			2.2	104	3	98	28
Portage.....							2	90			85
Sheboygan.....			9	88	10	85	2.1	105	3	100	85
Trempealeau.....	1,200	90	7	90	8.5	87	2.5	97	4	97	65
Waupaca.....			7.5	95			1.7	98	2.3	95	50
Waushara.....							1.9	100	2	85	40
Winnebago.....			8.1	98	12	105	1.5	100	3.1	99	45
Wood.....			12	80			2.3	98	3	100	80

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	WHEAT.		RYE.		BARLEY.		OATS.		CORN (Shelled).	
	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.
Columbia.....	19.5	95	17.8	88	32	92	30	80	34	85
Crawford.....	15	80	12	91	31	88	27	65	48	100
Dane.....	16	80	14	90	28	90	35	84	40	90
Dodge.....	24	98	23	98	29	97	39	80	41	95
Grant.....	18	95	15	90	27	99	37	87	47	100
Green.....	22.5	94	22	93	33	100	39.5	88	44	104
Iowa.....	22	95	18	100	31	102	33	84	45	90
Jefferson.....	24	100	18	98	27	96	42	90	43	100
Kenosha.....	25	85	24	80	35	88	40	90	44	100
La Fayette.....	20	90	20	90	31	98	41	91	45	95
Milwaukee.....	19.5	100	21	97	29	95	39	88	39	75
Ozaukee.....	24	100	27	100	35	98	40	90	47	97
Racine.....	17.5	85	23	95	31	100	35	85	50	108
Richland.....	21	95	20	94	25	87	30	75	47	98
Rock.....	18	100	17	88	32	98	39	90	40	103
Sauk.....	24	96	18	95	35	97	41	75	48	98
Vernon.....	18	90	16	100	28	90	35	65	46	100
Walworth.....	20	90	24	90	36	99	39	80	40	99
Washington.....	16	95	25	99	34	97	41	93	45	100
Waukesha.....	22	97	21	96	30	94	42	87	44	92



SOUTHERN DIVISION.	BUCK-WHEAT.		FLAX.		BEANS.		PEAS.		POTATOES.	
	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bushels.	Quality of product.
Columbia.....	20	90			17.5	85	20	98	135	95
Crawford.....	20	100					20	85	150	90
Dane.....									150	97
Dodge.....	18	109	20	100	23	95	30	98	145	85
Grant.....	14	100					25	100	145	90
Green.....									150	98
Iowa.....									125	94
Jefferson.....	20	100					26	95	125	94
Kenosha.....			10	100					130	100
LaFayette.....									148	98
Milwaukee.....									120	80
Ozaukee.....			15	105			24	103	145	100
Racine.....									135	90
Richland.....	15	93							125	90
Rock.....	13	100			18	95	16	100	125	100
Sauk.....	12	99			20	90	12	100	195	100
Vernon.....									150	100
Walworth.....	15	80							130	98
Washington.....									160	100
Waukesha.....	12	87							140	98

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	TOBACCO.		CABBAGE.		SUGAR BEETS.		TAME HAY.		ALFALFA.		Percentage total corn acreage planted cut for silage.
	Yield per acre in pounds.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in tons.	Quality of product.	
Columbia.....	1,350	97					1.8	95	2.4	98	35
Crawford.....	1,350	96					99	2.5	93	20	
Dane.....	1,475	102			12	97	2.4	100	3.2	90	15
Dodge.....					14	95	2.2	100	4.1	98	25
Grant.....	1,375	100					100	3.1	97	40	
Green.....	1,325	95					1.9	102	2.9	99	12
Iowa.....							1.9	104	2.7	95	5
Jefferson.....					12	100	2.5	100	3	100	20
Kenosha.....			10	90	12	95	2.8	97	3.2	96	75
La Fayette.....							2.1	95	3.1	95	15
Milwaukee.....			7	100	8	100	1.9	98	2.8	100	45
Ozaukee.....					8	100	2.4	103	3.1	100	65
Racine.....			10	90	10	85	2	105	2.2	110	25
Richland.....	1,325	98					1.9	104	2.8	100	24
Rock.....	1,450	100	13	88	12	90	2.1	100	3.1	100	22
Sauk.....			8	80			2.3	99	3.3	98	15
Vernon.....	1,460	98					2.2	103	3	105	15
Walworth.....							1.9	100	3	100	30
Washington.....					10	100	2.4	95	3.3	94	43
Waukesha.....			12	98			1.9	99	3.7	100	65

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## WISCONSIN FARM CROP REPORT.

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OFFICE OF WISCONSIN STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE,

MADISON, NOVEMBER 20, 1914.

With an increased number of Reporters in all sections of Wisconsin over the number reporting to this office one year ago, we have made an effort to secure more accurate estimates on the number of silos in Wisconsin, and submit, herewith, tables showing the number credited to each county in the State. The report shows a total number of 47,165. This would indicate an increase of but 13 per cent over the number reported in 1913. The actual increase, however, is nearer 20 per cent. In our published report for 1913 the number of silos given in some of the counties was in excess of the number actually built, and printers' errors in a few counties increased the number beyond the actual number in use. In answer to the question as to what material is most commonly used for building silos, 37 reporters in the Northern Division state that wood is the most commonly used and 17 report concrete as the most popular material; in the Central Division, 35 report that concrete is the most common building material, 24 wood, 2 tile, and 1 brick; in the Southern Division, 26 concrete, 20 wood, 4 brick and 4 tile.

The average yield of Clover Seed for the State is 2.5 bushels and the quality of the product is 94.9 per cent. The average yield of Timothy Seed is 5.3 bushels and the quality of the product 93.5 per cent.

The percentage of the 1914 products remaining in the hands of the farmer on November 1st is as follows: Wheat 81.3 per cent; Rye 74.1; Barley 77.8; Oats 85.3; Corn 91.5; Buckwheat 86.9; Flax 88.2; Clover Seed 85.2; Timothy Seed 81.9; Beans 87.1; Peas 46.6; Potatoes 62.5; Sugar Beets 44.5; Tame Hay 88.

Following is the comparative acreage and condition of seeding

for the season 1914: Timothy, acreage 97, condition 99.3; Clover, acreage 100.9, condition 98.6; Alfalfa, acreage 109.2, condition 99.4; Winter Wheat, acreage 92.6, condition 99.2; Winter Rye, acreage 97.6, condition 99.6.

56.5 per cent of the plowing was done November 1st. There remains in the hands of the farmer 4.3 per cent of the 1913 corn crop. The percentage of cattle fed for market as compared with 1913 is 99.7; percentage of swine 104.3; sheep 99.

The percentage of loss from Hog Cholera in the entire state was 2.1 per cent, the disease being most prevalent in Racine, Dodge, Grant, Waukesha, Green Lake and Pepin Counties.

There is a general complaint relative to the low price of potatoes, many producers having stored their potatoes in pits in the field awaiting a more favorable price.

J. C. MACKENZIE,

*Secretary.*

A complete detailed report of conditions is shown by the following tables:



NORTHERN DIVISION.	CLOVER SEED.		TIMOTHY SEED.		PERCENTAGE OF 1914 PRODUCTS STILL REMAINING IN HANDS OF FARMER.							
	Yield per acre in bu.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bu.	Quality of product.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Corn.	Buckwheat.	Flax.	Clover seed.
Ashland					80	90	88	88	90	100		90
Barron	1	85			90	75	90	75	90	95		100
Bayfield					82	75	75	83	99			100
Burnett					75	83	90	85	100	95		
Chippewa	2.7	96	6.5	95	90	55	88	85	95	87		75
Door					45	70	50	75	100			
Douglas					95	90	90	95	98		100	
Dunn	2.9	100	5.1	97	95	80	85	83	87	60	77	82
Florence					100	100	100	80	90			
Forest					100	97	100	87	100	100		
Iron	1.3	105			50	25	50	75	75	50		100
Langlade					30	25	50	80	40			100
Lincoln								95	95			
Marathon		90			90	80	75	80	50			
Marinette	4.1	98			80	83	75	85	97	92		95
Oconto	1.8	80			85	80	85	90	100	100		100
Oneida					65	50		60	60			100
Polk					92	95	80	93	99			
Price						100		90	90			
Rusk	4.3	100	6	100	92	96	97	90	98	92	95	98
St. Croix	3	100	10	100	93	88	85	70	98	98	70	95
Sawyer						75		90	80	50		100
Shawano	2.5	98			89	85	94	96	98	75		20
Taylor	3.8	95	3	98	100	93	90	90	95	100		97
Vilas	3.1	98	3.5	100	90	84	70	87	90	95		94
Washburn	1.4	92			75	88	100	90	93	87		98

NORTHERN DIVISION.	PERCENTAGE OF 1914 PRODUCTS STILL REMAINING IN HANDS OF FARMER.					ACREAGE AND CONDITION OF SEEDING. SEASON 1914.						
	Timothy seed.	Beans.	Peas.	Potatoes.	Sugar beets.	Tame hay.	Timothy.		Clover.		Alfalfa.	
							Acreage.	Condition.	Acreage.	Condition.	Acreage.	Condition.
Ashland .....		90	78		80	105	100	108	100	100	104	
Barron .....	100	100	50	95	90	90	100	110	100	120	100	
Bayfield .....		97	83		93	100	100	108	105	97	110	
Burnett .....	100		45		85	105	100	107	104	110	95	
Chippewa .....	70	85	90	60	50	83	87	95	102	90	105	
Door .....		80	32	30	15	86	87	98	95	97	110	
Douglas .....			90	85		90	105	100	108	95	120	
Dunn .....	92	75	40	50	25	90	98	98	99	100	110	
Florence .....			75	60		80	110	105	100	110		
Forest .....				65		100	113	110	110	105	100	
Iron .....				65		75	100	105	105	110		
Langlade .....	100		50	75		80	100	90	97	95	110	
Lincoln .....				80		95	105	100	105	103		
Marathon .....				40		65	104	103	101	99	100	
Marinette .....		91	75	78	17	83	100	103	112	112	103	
Oconto .....		100	80	90	60	90	88	99	100	99	100	
Oneida .....			60	68		86	115	90	125	84	98	
Polk .....				67		98	98	100	100	100	150	
Price .....				65		95			120	90		
Rusk .....	95	93	90	64	70	94	117	100	120	100	125	
St. Croix .....	95	100	100	84		95	100	100	105	94	200	
Sawyer .....				35		80	50	100	90	100	110	
Shawano .....	18	95	30	55		90	98	102	103	105	108	
Taylor .....	100	100	92	70		100	100	100	97	98	100	
Vilas .....	90	90	75	65		95	100	102	94	97	105	
Washburn .....	100	80		75	75	90	96	100	104	100	123	

NORTHERN DIVISION.	ACREAGE AND CONDITION OF SEEDING. SEASON 1914.				Per cent plowing done Nov. 1.	Percentage of 1913 corn crop on farms Nov. 1, 1914.	Percentage of cattle fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of swine fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of sheep fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of loss from hog choicera.	SILOS
	Winter Wheat.		Winter Rye.								
	Acraage.	Condition.	Acraage.	Condition.							
Ashland .....	100	100	100	102	90	.....	110	100	110	.....	78
Barron .....	60	98	120	100	25	.....	110	120	100	.....	613
Bayfield .....	78	98	105	100	80	.....	108	107	115	.....	27
Burnett .....	90	90	100	93	20	10	100	100	100	5	135
Chippewa .....	98	100	95	90	70	4	95	104	98	1	492
Door .....	40	110	83	103	50	.....	123	108	115	.....	407
Douglas .....	100	80	75	80	70	.....	105	100	.....	.....	16
Dunn .....	95	98	99	99	63	2	103	102	90	.....	263
Florence .....	.....	.....	80	100	50	.....	110	110	.....	.....	25
Forest .....	100	100	.....	.....	65	8	125	100	100	1	5
Iron .....	100	105	105	110	75	.....	110	110	.....	.....	9
Langlade .....	.....	.....	97	100	60	.....	90	120	.....	.....	254
Lincoln .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	103	.....	.....	.....	51
Marathon .....	100	106	110	108	85	1	101	107	101	.....	347
Marinette .....	99	100	102	110	58	4	95	95	75	1	281
Oconto .....	85	98	95	98	55	10	100	110	.....	.....	350
Oneida .....	60	105	70	100	73	.....	105	115	.....	.....	128
Polk .....	97	100	95	98	63	10	100	105	100	.....	863
Price .....	.....	.....	110	90	25	.....	100	110	.....	.....	47
Rusk .....	95	100	130	105	65	.....	135	110	160	.....	160
St. Croix.....	75	100	90	100	84	2	125	120	95	.....	853
Sawyer .....	.....	.....	90	100	53	.....	100	113	100	.....	30
Shawano .....	99	100	100	100	60	5	100	110	.....	.....	188
Taylor .....	100	95	100	98	90	2	105	107	110	.....	88
Vilas .....	100	97	95	95	70	.....	100	105	105	.....	8
Washburn .....	100	100	112	98	80	3	112	108	100	.....	112

CENTRAL DIVISION.	CLOVER SEED.		TIMOTHY SEED.		PERCENTAGE OF 1914 PRODUCTS STILL RE- MAINING IN HANDS OF FARMER.							
	Yield per acre in bu.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bu.	Quality of product.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Corn.	Buckwheat.	Flax.	Clover seed.
Adams .....	2	100	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	85	95	50	.....	95
Brown .....	1	95	8	100	50	40	50	65	75	.....	.....	75
Buffalo .....	3	98	6.4	97	60	47	65	70	75	.....	.....	65
Calumet .....	3	100	8	95	50	70	40	75	80	.....	.....	30
Clark .....	3.8	89	9	89	88	83	90	92	98	90	.....	90
Eau Claire.....	3	105	7	100	40	78	88	93	98	38	75	85
Fond du Lac..	1.8	98	6	100	90	95	82	93	95	92	85	88
Green Lake....	1.7	90	8	95	75	60	20	80	100	100	.....	90
Jackson .....	2.9	95	5	93	80	75	75	88	95	75	100	45
Juneau .....	2.5	90	4.5	95	.....	78	90	97	100	75	.....	65
Kewaunee .....	2	100	4.5	95	98	70	83	83	.....	100	84	95
La Crosse .....	1.4	85	.....	.....	85	70	80	90	100	95	.....	100
Manitowoc .....	3	95	.....	.....	80	85	65	80	95	.....	.....	60
Marquette .....	2.8	98	11	82	60	60	65	83	90	75	.....	60
Monroe .....	2.3	85	10	80	83	70	68	70	88	.....	.....	100
Outagamie .....	2.9	98	5	93	96	73	75	94	98	95	100	94
Pepin .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95	90	95	95	100	.....	.....	.....
Pierce .....	2.1	99	3.5	98	70	75	80	80	97	100	98	98
Portage .....	2	96	4	98	60	45	.....	75	88	85	.....	90
Sheboygan .....	2.8	94	4.5	100	90	79	87	85	93	94	100	70
Trempealeau ..	2.3	83	4	93	88	75	95	88	90	100	.....	65
Waupaca .....	1.9	97	1.9	96	93	60	82	88	95	94	90	64
Waushara .....	1.8	96	2	100	.....	60	.....	80	87	98	.....	94
Winnebago .....	1.8	97	5	100	93	85	85	80	90	95	.....	100
Wood .....	3.3	100	4.1	100	88	80	64	84	92	90	100	93

CENTRAL DIVISION.	PERCENTAGE OF 1914 PRODUCTS STILL REMAINING IN HANDS OF FARMER.					ACREAGE AND CONDITION OF SEEDING. SEASON 1914.						
	Timothy seed.	Beans.	Peas.	Potatoes	Sugar beets.	Tame hay.	Timothy.		Clover.		Alfalfa.	
							Ac. age.	Conditio n.	Ac. age.	Conditio n.	Ac. age.	Conditio n.
Adams .....	80		90		95	100	85	100	90	107	90	
Brown .....	50	25	50	10	75	100	100	105	110	101	101	
Buffalo .....	48	35	64	20	80	100	98	100	95	104	102	
Calumet .....	45	20	75	10	85	90	100	100	100	105	102	
Clark .....	90	95	90	76	86	100	100	97	102	90	90	
Eau Claire.....	75	91	93	50	35	87	110	100	96	103	100	
Fond du Lac...	90	88	70	75	30	80	95	97	98	100	110	
Green Lake....	80		75	60		80	100	90	110	95		
Jackson .....	77	90		57		88	95	100	100	102	115	
Juneau .....	70			95		95	100	100	100	97		
Kewaunee .....	99	100	67	90	90	95	99	100	100	102	80	
La Crosse .....				80	100	98	100	98	100	110	108	
Manitowoc .....		50	55	83	40	88	100	98	100	97	100	
Marquette .....	70	84	50	83		94	82	97	90	97	80	
Monroe .....	80			90		85	105	100	107	100	87	
Outagamie .....	90	95	90	88	98	93	90	98	90	97	80	
Pepin .....				90		80	100	100	100	100		
Pierce .....	100	100	50	70	10	98	98	100	100	100	105	
Portage .....	87	100	100	77		77	94	100	93	95	85	
Sheboygan .....	80	95	60	76	75	92	94	100	102	105	100	
Trempealeau .....	85	90		75		80	90	95	102	99	100	
Waupaca .....	84	85	91	66	80	98	92	100	96	100	97	
Waushara .....	95	100		75		83	95	95	99	100	90	
Winnebago .....	90			65	22	81	98	99	102	105	110	
Wood .....	96	88	90	75		89	107	112	110	110	200	



CENTRAL DIVISION.	ACREAGE AND CONDI- TION OF SEEDING. SEASON 1914.				Per cent plowing done Nov. 1st.	Percentage of 1913 corn cropon farms Nov. 1, 1914.	Percentage of cattle fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of swine fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of sheep fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of loss from hog cholera.	SILOS  Estimated number in county.
	Winter Wheat.		Winter Rye.								
	Acreage.	Condition.	Acreage.	Condition.							
Adams	95	75	100	90	40	10	60	75	.....	224	
Brown	100	85	100	90	90	.....	90	100	100	886	
Buffalo	95	95	100	97	75	.....	100	103	100	261	
Calumet	95	100	90	100	90	10	90	100	95	631	
Clark	88	100	92	100	85	.....	90	93	84	600	
Eau Claire	107	105	105	100	70	5	95	115	95	712	
Fond du Lac	97	95	98	100	78	5	99	105	107	3 1,645	
Green Lake	100	95	120	100	60	10	80	120	75	10 525	
Jackson	103	105	100	100	55	10	100	110	100	..... 425	
Juneau	.....	.....	105	100	55	.....	100	104	.....	261	
Kewaunee	99	94	100	100	70	.....	90	100	90	5 325	
La Crosse	98	100	100	110	40	5	105	105	100	..... 978	
Manitowoc	100	95	94	100	85	5	100	95	.....	2,643	
Marquette	65	98	89	98	67	10	91	110	75	8 245	
Monroe	55	100	90	105	80	10	110	95	88	..... 691	
Outagamie	94	97	93	98	55	2	94	107	102	4 1,210	
Peplin	98	100	97	98	40	5	100	100	80	10 42	
Pierce	97	100	100	100	83	5	103	102	95	..... 200	
Portage	.....	.....	90	90	57	4	100	107	100	..... 482	
Sheboygan	107	102	100	103	86	3	97	104	100	..... 2,625	
Trempealeau	98	97	100	95	67	12	95	97	100	..... 1,752	
Waupaca	80	97	100	100	57	5	80	100	94	..... 1,264	
Waushara	.....	.....	98	98	10	.....	102	90	90	..... 425	
Winnebago	100	98	100	99	75	4	97	94	95	5 1,138	
Wood	90	100	110	95	60	4	101	115	100	..... 811	

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	CLOVER SEED.		TIMOTHY SEED.		PERCENTAGE OF 1914 PRODUCTS STILL REMAINING IN HANDS OF FARMER.							
	Yield per acre in bu.	Quality of product.	Yield per acre in bu.	Quality of product.	Wheat.	Rye.	Barley.	Oats.	Corn.	Buckwheat.	Flax.	Clover seed.
Columbia .....	1.3	87	5.5	95	70	65	77	77	90	80	.....	70
Crawford .....	2.3	93	5.5	94	96	75	73	88	89	60	.....	60
Dane .....	1.9	98	5.5	100	97	82	85	90	92	94	95	97
Dodge .....	2	95	5.5	100	80	70	80	90	90	70	80	92
Grant .....	3	90	5.5	98	80	50	90	90	75	100	.....	50
Green .....	2.4	100	4.5	100	95	94	85	85	90	.....	.....	91
Iowa .....	1.7	95	5.5	100	95	65	89	90	93	.....	.....	95
Jefferson .....	2	100	4	98	60	50	67	93	99	95	.....	97
Kenosha .....	7	100	5	100	95	90	88	90	100	.....	.....	100
Lafayette .....	.....	.....	8	90	100	90	90	90	93	.....	.....	100
Milwaukee .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	78	81	70	80	90	100	.....	.....
Ozaukee .....	1.9	90	3.1	95	85	89	77	90	98	100	85	80
Racine .....	4	90	8	100	70	65	70	95	98	97	.....	100
Richland .....	5.5	100	.....	.....	80	68	80	85	88	75	.....	84
Rock .....	1.4	95	9	98	80	45	80	88	97	80	.....	98
Sauk .....	1.9	92	5	98	85	87	94	90	98	97	.....	98
Vernon .....	1.8	93	5	103	89	90	88	90	100	.....	.....	94
Walworth .....	1.4	90	5	85	92	70	60	84	93	100	.....	85
Washington .....	3	95	.....	.....	95	85	78	90	100	.....	.....	20
Waukesha .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	60	50	80	95	.....	.....	.....

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	PERCENTAGE OF 1914 PRODUCTS STILL REMAINING IN HANDS OF FARMER.						ACREAGE AND CONDITION OF SEEDING. SEASON 1914.					
	Timoth seed.	Beans.	Peas.	Potatoes.	Sugar beets.	Tame Hay.	Timothy.		Clover.		Alfalfa.	
							Acreage.	Condition.	Acreage.	Condition.	Acreage.	Condition.
Columbia .....	65	82	.....	67	.....	75	90	90	90	95	70	92
Crawford .....	65	25	40	85	.....	94	108	99	101	100	98	92
Dane .....	98	97	80	80	40	93	99	100	100	99	105	98
Dodge .....	65	85	40	80	40	70	98	97	100	100	110	97
Grant .....	20	.....	.....	80	.....	95	90	100	100	100	105	98
Green .....	84	.....	.....	75	.....	95	98	95	100	98	110	108
Iowa .....	85	.....	.....	72	.....	95	97	100	100	100	103	101
Jefferson .....	50	100	.....	76	50	93	93	100	102	97	104	100
Kenosha .....	100	90	.....	75	50	80	85	100	105	100	107	100
Lafayette .....	92	.....	.....	78	.....	96	88	105	95	103	113	105
Milwaukee .....	.....	90	.....	75	35	80	100	108	108	105	98	100
Ozaukee .....	85	60	50	65	25	92	95	100	100	100	110	108
Racine .....	100	100	.....	80	40	87	98	89	100	97	108	104
Richland .....	100	50	.....	90	.....	94	90	100	107	105	130	99
Rock .....	90	90	.....	72	25	90	93	105	90	98	120	104
Sauk .....	93	94	40	80	10	90	92	102	108	105	125	106
Vernon .....	97	.....	.....	93	.....	100	91	100	105	100	115	100
Walworth .....	95	.....	.....	65	.....	78	95	100	95	90	130	100
Washington .....	.....	.....	.....	65	.....	87	100	100	97	100	155	100
Waukesha .....	.....	.....	.....	75	.....	90	100	100	80	100	110	100

SOUTHERN DIVISION.	ACREAGE AND CONDI- TION OF SEEDING. SEASON 1914.				Per cent plowing done Nov. 1st.	Percentage of 1913 corn crop on farms Nov. 1, 1914.	Percentage of cattle fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of swine fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of sheep fed for market as compared with 1913.	Percentage of loss from hog cholera.	SILOS  Estimated number in county.
	Winter Wheat.		Winter Rye.								
	Acres.	Condition.	Acres.	Condition.							
Columbia .....	80	100	94	100	15	5	90	100	.....	5	439
Crawford .....	85	105	84	107	28	10	110	115	90	.....	348
Dane .....	87	100	93	100	30	8	97	110	104	4	1,561
Dodge .....	110	100	105	102	75	8	100	90	100	13	997
Grant .....	100	100	89	97	28	5	95	100	90	10	1,411
Green .....	90	100	95	100	40	5	98	100	105	.....	684
Iowa .....	90	100	95	100	70	7	103	102	97	3	257
Jefferson .....	95	102	97	102	65	5	110	115	95	2	1,290
Kenosha .....	90	100	90	100	68	2	88	104	98	7	933
Lafayette .....	100	100	100	98	15	1	103	112	95	1	418
Milwaukee .....	90	102	105	105	40	10	95	92	.....	3	476
Ozaukee .....	100	100	98	100	70	8	110	110	100	.....	1,240
Racine .....	100	98	100	100	50	12	105	94	100	14	1,109
Richland .....	88	90	90	95	15	3	90	88	97	3	871
Rock .....	100	110	100	105	18	4	105	120	100	7	1,107
Sauk .....	101	108	94	105	27	9	98	108	98	.....	798
Vernon .....	97	100	100	100	80	5	98	104	95	.....	1,050
Walworth .....	.....	.....	100	100	20	7	100	103	110	.....	1,783
Washington .....	110	110	100	110	43	1	90	101	100	2	932
Waukesha .....	90	100	80	100	75	.....	100	100	.....	10	2,630